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## COULTER TAKES PLAN TO PRESIDENT

### SAYS INDIANA HOUNDS OLSON TO GAIN MONEY

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C. Effinger did take \$3,000 bonds be-  
longing to Mary Sloan and Annie  
Ulds and that they took \$1,950 bonds  
belonging to Ed H. Lake.

He charged that Olson had fooled  
the authorities of Indiana into be-  
lieving that he could settle civil li-  
abilities and had been these methods  
been the cause of the delay in the  
requisition proceedings.

During the argument, Sinkler de-  
clared that within the last few years  
Olson was fined \$1,500,000 by  
Dunn and Bradstreet.

### Law Gropes Through Circumstantial Evi- dence in Effort to Solve Kansas Murder Mystery



ARLENE SCOTT AND JOHN E. SCOTT.

By NEA Service.  
LeCygne, Kas., Dec. 14.—Reach-  
ing out for a solution of one of the  
most baffling murder mysteries in  
this section of the country, the tra-  
get of the law has fastened its ten-  
tacles around John E. Scott, grocery  
store proprietor here, and his wife  
by marriage, 19-year-old Arlene  
Scott.

They are charged jointly with the  
murder of Scott's wife, who was shot  
down in the dark one night last  
June upon the return of her and her  
husband from a minstrel show.

The eternal triangle, background  
of so many crimes in the past, is  
said by authorities to play a leading  
role in the murder of Mrs. Scott.  
The evidence in their possession is  
meager, circumstantial. Nevertheless,  
John Scott and Arlene Scott have  
been bound over for trial on a  
charge of murder.

Class Room Arrest.  
Truth, they say, is stranger than  
fiction. Certainly no fiction could  
have been stranger than the drama-  
tic arrest of Miss Scott, who was  
taken into custody recently, five  
months after her uncle had first been  
arrested for the crime.

Miss Scott is a school teacher. She  
was standing before her class, point-  
ing to a triangle drawn on the black-  
board. She was explaining and de-  
scribing a triangle when the door slowly  
opened and Sheriff Ellington  
passed slowly up the center aisle.

"Miss Scott," he said, "I'm Sheriff  
Ellington and—"  
"Yes," broke in the teacher, "and  
I know you've come. It is for the  
murder of my aunt."

She dismissed the class; then  
broke down and sobbed.

Lived With Aunt.  
There are other triangles, it seems,  
that little children know nothing  
about. So none could satisfactorily  
explain why teacher had dismissed  
school that day.

Four years ago, Arlene, then 15,  
went to live with her uncle and aunt  
so that she might attend La Cygne  
high school and prepare to teach the  
township school in LeCygne.

Mrs. Scott was a sister of Arlene's  
mother. The child was taken into  
the home and treated by Scott and  
his wife as their own.

Last spring she was graduated  
and went away to attend summer  
school. La Cygne missed her. Her  
pretty face had been a familiar sight  
at all of La Cygne's social activities.

Then came June and the night of  
the minstrel show. John Scott and  
his wife drove home. Their machine  
rolled into the garage. Mrs. Scott  
left the car and entered the rear  
door of the house.

Town Shocked.  
There were two pistol shots. Scott  
called for help, then ran two blocks  
and returned with a physician. But  
Mrs. Scott was dead.

The town was aghast. Blood-  
hounds from Kansas City were put  
on the trail and ended at a negro's  
home not far away. But the negro  
was released. His wife, it was learn-  
ed, had made the tracks. She had  
been washing at the Scott home.

The dogs were kept at their task,  
but the only other trail they followed  
was one from the Scott garage to  
the house.

Jury Disagrees.  
Then came the gossip. Accusing  
remarks were directed at the hus-  
band. He was arrested and released  
on bond. Then the state exploded  
a bombshell.

Witnesses testified that after the  
murder, Scott and Arlene registered  
together at a Pittsburg, Kas., hotel.  
Neither denied it. The trial re-  
sulted in a hung jury.

Arlene admits Scott is in love  
with her. Scott refuses to talk.  
Both protest their innocence, de-  
nying all knowledge of the murder.  
And the new evidence has re-  
sulted in the arrest of Arlene and  
the rearrest of her uncle.

### TEN DIE IN BLIZZARD IN NEW MEXICO

Many Tourists in Automobiles  
Are Stalled in Nogal Can-  
yon; Given Food

#### RAILROADS BLOCKED

New Mexico Today Still Try-  
ing to "Dig Out" From  
Heavy Snowstorm

Albuquerque, N. M., Dec. 14.—Al-  
though more than 24 hours have  
elapsed since snow stopped falling,  
New Mexico early today was still  
trying to "dig out" of one of the  
worst blizzards in years which re-  
sulted in at least 10 deaths and  
blocked railroad and automobile traf-  
fic in many parts of the state.

Telephone reports from Soegoe  
and San Marcial last night stated  
that 79 automobiles with more than  
300 passengers were snow-bound in  
Nogal Canyon, on the highway to Hot  
Springs, New Mexico, and that 100  
men, members of the party, were  
trying to dig a passage way through  
the snowdrifts in the canyon. Food  
and fuel were taken to the canyon  
from San Marcial, reports stated,  
and no suffering was reported.

### OFFICER IS KILLED BY 2 CONVICTS

Posses Scouring Country For  
Men Who Shot W. D.  
Burns in Arkansas

Albion, Ark., Dec. 3.—(By the  
A. P.)—Two escaped convicts from  
the Kansas penitentiary early today  
shot W. D. Burns, parole officer of  
Kansas, as Burns was taking them  
back to the penitentiary after they  
had been arrested in Texas.

The convicts, B. E. Casey and a man  
named Keighton, then escaped after  
releasing the air of the Missouri-Pa-  
cific train. Officers are scouring the  
woods for them.

### 20 MILLION INCREASE IN BANK PROFITS

Comptroller of Currency Re-  
ports Total of Dividends  
Were \$179,000,000

Washington, Dec. 14.—Henry M.  
Dawes, Comptroller of the Currency,  
made an open appeal to the country  
in his annual report today for the  
preservation and protection of the  
national banks.

The national banking system, he  
said, deserves more consideration  
than it recently has received. He  
insisted that it is now a question  
for Congress to decide whether the  
several unfavorable factors bearing  
on the system shall continue or  
whether "we shall sit idly by and  
apathetically watch its retrogra-  
tion."

Turning to bank operations, the  
Comptroller reported that dividends  
aggregating \$179,000,000 were paid  
by the national banks in the year  
ending November 1, the greatest  
issue ever made by the national  
banks of the country. He reported  
also that \$203,500,000 had been  
added to the combined profits ac-  
count of the national banks in the  
same period. This represents an in-  
crease of more than \$20,000,000 over  
the preceding year in the earnings  
of the national institutions.

### BANDITS GET \$15,786.00

Philadelphia Dec. 14.—Two bandits  
today bound and gagged the pay-  
master of Michael Melody and Son,  
Co., in the office of the concern and  
fled with \$15,786, which he was plac-  
ing in envelopes to pay the em-  
ployees.

### LEAGUE PAPER OUT NEXT WEEK

The first issue of the North Dakota  
Nonpartisan League, to be published as  
the official organ of the Nonpartisan  
League, probably will be issued next  
Wednesday, according to J. H.  
Bloom, who is managing the paper.

Mr. Bloom is now engaged in prepa-  
ration of "copy" for the issue.

### ELECTION LAW SITUATION IS HELD MUDDLED

Secretary of State and Deputy  
See Possible Complication  
Arising in Them

#### FOR SPECIAL ELECTION

No Method Provided Under  
New Laws, Which Are  
Referred, They Say

Possible complications which may  
arise out of the referendum on elec-  
tion laws passed by the last legisla-  
ture are being pointed to by officials  
who have made an examination of  
the election laws of the state, particu-  
larly as they are affected by the  
new laws. Discussion of the possi-  
bility of a special election in the  
event of the resignation of Congress-  
man George Young added impetus to  
the discussion.

The referred measures include:  
House bill No. 285, relating to the  
nomination and election of presiden-  
tial electors, United States Senators,  
congressmen, national committee-  
men, delegates to the national con-  
ventions and precinct committeemen.  
Senate bill No. 233, relating to the  
nomination and election of state and  
county officials, and house bill No.  
282, relating to state and county  
central committees.

Secretary of State Thomas Hall  
and Deputy Secretary Maurice Duffy  
say that under existing laws if a  
special election were called on March  
15 to select a successor to George M.  
Young, nominations may be made by  
party delegate conventions under au-  
thority of the laws of 1899 and 1905,  
or by petition under the laws of 1899  
and 1913. The method, they said,  
was laid down in the Burdette case  
by the supreme court.

Since both of the sections referred  
to are specifically repealed by house  
bill No. 285, according to Messrs.  
Hall and Duffy, the proposed parti-  
san election law, no provision is left  
for nominating candidates for special  
elections.

"The omission has a larger signifi-  
cance than its effect on the congres-  
sional situation," said Mr. Duffy.  
"Article 33 of amendments to the  
state constitution authorizing recall  
of officials, provides that the name  
of the recalled official shall automa-  
tically go on the ballot and other  
candidates for such office may be  
nominated in the manner as is pro-  
vided by law in primary elections.

This provision has not been judicially  
constructed but in practice other can-  
didates have been nominated by peti-  
tion. It is apparent that they cannot  
be nominated under existing or pro-  
posed laws at a primary election.

Does the repeal of §971A mean that  
the only name that will be printed  
on the ballot is that of the recalled  
officials?"

Mr. Hall believes that no special  
elections could be held if the repeal  
clauses of the law became effective.

### BRIBERY IS RESORTED TO BY RUNNERS

Make Open Proposals to State  
Troopers on Guard Along  
New York Border

Malone, N. Y., Dec. 14.—(By the  
Associated Press)—Balked by the  
knowledge that federal and state  
prohibition agents have been re-in-  
forced along the northeastern front-  
ier, bootleggers anxious to fulfill  
contracts to deliver Christmas liquor  
and beer to the big cities downstate,  
have boldly resorted to attempted  
bribery of enforcement officers.

It became known today on unques-  
tioned authority that "virtually every  
member of the state troopers along  
the northern patrol had been ap-  
proached with tempting offers of  
money by bootleggers or their  
agents. The troops, known as the  
"Black Horse Troopers," the fear of  
every bootlegger, comprises 58 mem-  
bers.

### PUGH TO HEAR SWIFT CASE

The supreme court has designated  
Judge H. L. Berry of the Morton Cir-  
cuit Court to preside at the trial of  
Joseph Swift, charged with murder.

A "double-barreled" affidavit was  
filed against District Judge Pugh  
and Bowman county. Judge Pugh  
sent the case to Adams county and  
the supreme court designated the  
judge. A jury disagreed in Swift's  
first trial in Bowman county, where  
the case was taken from Sioux coun-  
ty.

AUSTRIA RAISES FREIGHT RATES  
Vienna, Dec. 14.—In an effort to  
meet the railway deficit, Austria has  
increased freight rates 10 percent.  
Even with the increase the rates are  
far below pre-war times.

### COLD WAVE STRIKES SOUTH, MAY CONTINUE AND ENVELOP FLORIDA

Milder Temperatures in Northwest Lessen Hope For a White  
Christmas, While in Texas and New Mexico Searches  
Are Being Made to Recover Bodies Lost in Blizzard

Chicago, Dec. 14.—(By the A. P.)  
While milder weather and rising  
temperatures in the northwest and  
central sections dispelled hope for  
"a white Christmas," colder weather  
and snowfalls were being generally  
experienced throughout the south to-  
day. The sweep of the cold wave  
was expected to extend as far south  
as Florida where showers were pre-  
dicted for today to be followed by  
rising temperatures tomorrow. War-  
mer weather brought out relief par-  
ties in sections of New Mexico and  
West Texas, where search is being  
made for persons reported to have  
been lost in a blizzard Monday. Re-  
covery yesterday of six bodies  
brought the number of victims of

freezing to 12 in the vicinity of El  
Paso. Prediction for the vicinity of  
Chicago, Great Lakes and Northwest  
indicated that the weather may re-  
main warm until the first of the year  
and the freezing temperatures and  
snow storms which certain sections  
have experienced will be of short  
duration.

Snow in Chattanooga, Tenn., fell  
to the depth of two and two-tenths  
inches and a four inch depth was  
experienced at Nashville today.

Railroad and highway traffic in  
New Mexico blocked by the blizzard  
of the early part of the week is be-  
ing resumed according to reports and  
all bodies of those frozen during the  
storm are thought to be recovered.

### ELECTRICAL ORDINANCE IS PROPOSED

Minot, Dec. 14.—Drafting of a  
new ordinance to clarify the schedule  
of changes for electrical inspection  
work in Minot was requested of City  
Attorney R. B. Bossard by the city  
commission, meeting in weekly ses-  
sion. Representatives of the elec-  
trical companies will be called upon  
to offer schedule, it is announced.

### FIGHT BREAKS OUT ON CHANGE IN DELEGATES

Senator Johnson Attacks Ac-  
tion of Republican Nation-  
al Committee

ADAMS IN DEFENSE  
Increased Representation to  
Southern State May Bring  
Convention Fight

Washington, Dec. 14.—Indications  
are becoming clearer that the Re-  
publican national convention may be-  
come the scene of a sharp fight over  
the national committee's action in  
restricting the delegate strength of  
southern states in its unexpected re-  
vision this week of reapportionment  
figures.

This trend first developed during  
the committee's discussion of the  
question became more marked today  
with publication of statements by  
Senator Johnson of California, a can-  
didate for the presidential nomina-  
tion and Chairman John A. Adams  
of the committee attacking and de-  
fending the action.

While it has not been determined  
whether the Johnson organization  
will fight the southern delegate re-  
vision on the floor of the conven-  
tion, Senator Howell of Nebraska,  
who opposed the revision at the  
committee meeting, holds the reopen-  
ing the question was without author-  
ity and has expressed the belief that  
if brought before the convention the  
decision would be set aside.

Senator Johnson, in his statement  
characterizes the revision as an act  
by which "the Republican states are  
penalized" and "the southern states  
where there is no Republican party  
and where delegations sometimes are  
a farce and a scandal are rewarded."

The resolution of the national con-  
vention has been disregarded, the  
will of the Republicans of the party  
frustrated," he said.

### MANAGER IS SELECTED

Washington, Dec. 14.—James W.  
Godd, former member of the house  
from Iowa and now practicing law in  
Chicago has been selected to manage  
the campaign in the Middle West for  
the nomination of President Coolidge  
in 1924.

Here's the latest in local nature  
stories. This is not a fish nor a  
goose story but a coyote story.

Alex Ashbridge, living near the  
fort, says that while going home  
Wednesday night his auto ran over a  
coyote in the road and killed it. He  
adds that Henry Richholt confirms  
the story.

### RARE BIRD GIVEN SOCIETY

A snowy heron or egret, from  
which the expensive egret plumes  
for expensive hats are obtained, has  
been presented to the State Histori-  
cal Society by August Timmerman  
of Mandan. The birds, killed in 1914  
in North Dakota, is very rare in this  
part of the country and now is al-  
most extinct because it has been  
hunted for the plumes.

### \$50,000,000 LOAN IS URGED BY N. DAKOTAN

Would Have Fund Provided  
to Enable Wheat Farmers  
to Diversify Operations

#### HAS A CONFERENCE

Goes Before President on Re-  
quest to Work Out Details  
of His Plan

Washington, Dec. 14.—Es-  
tablishment by Congress of a  
revolving fund of \$50,000,000 to  
provide loans with which  
Northwest wheat farmers  
could buy livestock and take  
over steps to diversify their  
operations was proposed to  
President Coolidge by Dr.  
John Lee Coulter, president  
of the North Dakota Agricul-  
tural College, and F. E. Mur-  
phy, publisher of the Minne-  
apolis Tribune.

Dr. Coulter first presented  
the plan to the President a  
month ago and was asked by  
the chief executive to work  
out the details and to confer  
again with him.

### ANTHRACITE CONTROL PACT IS DRAWN UP

Compact of States Conference  
Opens Before Pennsylv-  
vania Governor

Harrisburg, Pa., Dec. 4.—Draft of  
a proposed anthracite coal control  
plan and of a compact of states to pro-  
tect consumers against the hard  
coal industry were in preparation to-  
day under the direction of Governor  
Pinchot as a result of action by  
conference of representatives of six  
anthracite consuming states here  
yesterday.

The general outlook of the federal  
act received the approval of the five  
states which in addition to Pennsylv-  
ania were represented at the meet-  
ing the delegates did not go so far  
as to accept the compact plan, how-  
ever, but advised Governor Pinchot  
to have the proposal drafted in de-  
tail and submitted to the chief ex-  
ecutives of all hard coal consuming  
states for such action as they may  
desire to take without binding any  
of them to accept it.

### BANDITS RAID CHINESE CITY

High Officials of Chiao Are  
Carried off by Them

Shanghai, Dec. 14.—(By the A.  
P.)—Three thousand bandits, under  
the leadership of the notorious Chen  
Yen-Teh and Wang Han-Ying cap-  
tured the town of Chiao Wednesday  
burning and looting the houses and  
carrying off the magistrates and edu-  
cation commissioner and two other  
officials together with more than 100  
residents of the town including many  
women, according to dispatches re-  
ceived here.

Inhabitants of the town who es-  
caped from the bandits during the  
pillaging of the homes fled to the  
nearby city of Qweiyang. They re-  
ported that the magistrate of Chiao  
was slain after he had been taken  
prisoner. The town is in the south-  
ern part of the inland province of  
Hunan which is west of Yee. Chang-  
sha is the capital city of the province  
and more than 100 miles north of  
the scene of the bandits' outrage.

### EMMONS CO. FARMER DIES

Linton, Dec. 14.—Wm. P. Groer,  
a resident of the Linton neighborhood  
since the early '80s, passed away at  
his home Thursday of last week at  
one o'clock in the afternoon follow-  
ing a stroke of paralysis about six  
weeks ago. Deceased was born in the  
Netherlands April 28, 1850, and be-  
came well known throughout the  
south half of the county during the  
many years he resided there. He  
was a widower, his wife having pre-  
deceased him two years ago. Four sons  
and four daughters survive, all but  
one living in the county. The sons  
are P. W., Arthur and Wm. Groer  
of Emonns county and Jake Groer  
living at Fountain, Colorado. The  
daughters are Mesdames Arnd Hol-  
laar, Anthony Compaen, Peter Wolf  
and Arle Van Vught, of the Hull and  
Westfield neighborhoods.

### The Weather

For twenty-four hours ending at  
noon:  
Temperature at 7 a. m. .... 16  
Temperature at noon ..... 24  
Highest yesterday ..... 37  
Lowest yesterday ..... 17  
Lowest last night ..... 16  
Precipitation ..... 0  
Highest wind velocity ..... 13

#### Weather Forecast

For Bismarck and vicinity: Partly  
cloudy tonight and Saturday. War-  
mer tonight. Somewhat colder Satur-  
day.

For North Dakota: Partly cloudy  
tonight and Saturday. Warmer to-  
night and south portions. Some-  
what colder west portion Saturday.

#### Weather Conditions

Another low pressure area is cen-  
tered over the northeastern Rocky  
Mountain slope, accompanied by  
warm weather over the Northwest  
and precipitation from Utah north-  
westward to the Pacific Coast. Some  
precipitation also occurred over the  
eastern Great Lakes region. The  
weather is fair and cool over the  
Plains States and Mississippi Valley.

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Olson, Arthur Halverson and John  
C. Emfinger did take \$3,050 bonds be-  
longing to Mary Sloan and Annie  
Uhl and that they took \$1,950 bonds  
belonging to Ed H. Lake.

He charged that Olson had fooled  
the authorities of Indiana into be-  
lieving that he could settle civil li-  
abilities and had by these methods  
been the cause of the delay in the  
requisition proceedings. Sinkler de-  
clared that within the last few years  
Olson was rated worth \$1,500,000 by  
Dunn and Bradstreet.

The Weather

For twenty-four hours ending at  
noon.  
Temperature at 7 a. m. .... 16  
Temperature at noon .... 24  
Highest yesterday .... 34  
Lowest yesterday .... 17  
Lowest last night .... 16  
Precipitation .... 0  
Highest wind velocity .... 12

Weather Forecast

For Bismarck and vicinity: Partly  
cloudy tonight and Saturday. Warm-  
er tonight. Somewhat colder Satur-  
day.

For North Dakota: Partly cloudy  
tonight and Saturday. Warmer to-  
night east and south portions. Some-  
what colder west portion Saturday.

Weather Conditions

Another low pressure area is cen-  
tered over the northeastern Rocky  
mountain slope, accompanied by  
warm weather over the Northwest  
and precipitation from Utah north-  
westward to the Pacific Coast. Some  
precipitation also occurred over the  
eastern Great Lakes region. The  
weather is fair and cool over the  
Plains States and Mississippi Valley.  
Orrie W. Roberts, Meteorologist.

Law Gropes Through Circumstantial Evi-  
dence in Effort to Solve Kansas  
Murder Mystery



ARLENE SCOTT, AND JOHN E. SCOTT.

By NEA Service.  
Lawrence, Kan., Dec. 14.—Reaching out for a solution of one of the  
most baffling murder mysteries in this  
section of the country, the dragnet  
of the law has fastened its ten-  
tacles around John E. Scott, grocery  
store proprietor here, and his niece  
by marriage, 19-year-old Arlene  
Scott.

They are charged jointly with the  
murder of Scott's wife, who was shot  
down in the dark one night last  
June upon the return of her and her  
husband from a minstrel show.

The eternal triangle, background  
of so many crimes in the past, is  
said by authorities to play a leading  
role in the murder of Mrs. Scott.  
The evidence in their possession is  
merely circumstantial. Nevertheless,  
John Scott and Arlene Scott have  
been bound over for trial on a  
charge of murder.

Class Room Arrest.  
Truth, they say, is stranger than  
fiction. Certainly no fiction could  
have been stranger than the drama-  
tic arrest of Miss Scott, who was  
taken into custody recently, five  
months after her uncle had first been  
arrested for the crime.

Miss Scott is a school teacher. She  
was standing before her class, point-  
ing to a triangle drawn on the black-  
board. She was explaining and de-  
fying a triangle when the door slowly  
opened and Sheriff Ellington  
passed slowly up the center aisle.

"Miss Scott," he said, "I'm Sheriff  
Ellington and—"  
"Yes," broke in the teacher, "and  
I know why you've come. It is for  
the murder of my aunt."  
She abandoned the class; then  
broke down and sobbed.

Lived With Aunt.  
There are other triangles, it seems,  
that little children know nothing  
about. So none could satisfactorily  
explain why teacher had dismissed  
school that day.

Four years ago, Arlene, then 15,  
went to live with her uncle and aunt  
so that she might attend La Cygne  
high school and prepare to teach the  
township school in Centerville.

Mrs. Scott was a sister of Arlene's  
mother. The child was taken into  
the home and treated by Scott and  
his wife as their own.

Last spring she was graduated  
and went away to attend summer  
school. La Cygne missed her. Her  
pretty face had been a familiar sight  
at all of La Cygne's social activities.

Then came June—and the night of  
the minstrel show. John Scott and  
his wife drove home. Their machine  
rolled into the garage. Mrs. Scott  
left the car and entered the rear  
door of the house.

Town Shocked.  
There were two pistol shots. Scott  
called for help, then ran two blocks  
and returned with a physician. But  
Mrs. Scott was dead.

The town was aghast. Blood-  
hounds from Kansas City were put  
on the trail and ended at a negro's  
home not far away. But the negro  
was released. His wife, it was learn-  
ed, had made the tracks. She had  
been watching at the Scott home.

The dogs were kept at their task,  
but the only other trail they followed,  
was one from the Scott garage to  
the house.

Jury Disagrees.  
Then came the gossip. Accusing  
remarks were directed at the hus-  
band. He was arrested and released  
on bond. Then the state exploded  
a bombshell.

Witnesses testified that after the  
murder, Scott and Arlene registered  
together at a Pittsburg, Kas., hotel.  
Neither denied it. The trial re-  
sulted in a hung jury.

Arlene admits Scott is in love  
with her. Scott refuses to talk.  
Both protest their innocence, de-  
nying all knowledge of the murder.  
And the new evidence has re-  
sulted in the arrest of Arlene and  
the rearrest of her uncle.

The Cyclops were supposed to be  
a one-eyed race of giants living in  
Sicily.

TEN DIE IN  
BLIZZARD IN  
NEW MEXICO

Many Tourists in Automobiles  
Are Stalled in Nogal Can-  
yon; Given Food

RAILROADS BLOCKED

New Mexico Today Still Try-  
ing to "Dig Out" From  
Heavy Snowstorm

Albuquerque, N. M., Dec. 14.—Al-  
though more than 24 hours have  
elapsed since snow stopped falling,  
New Mexico early today was still  
trying to "dig out" of one of the  
worst blizzards in years which re-  
sulted in at least 10 deaths and  
blocked railroad and automobile traf-  
fic in many parts of the state.  
Telephone reports from Socorro  
and San Marcial last night stated  
that 72 automobiles with more than  
300 passengers were snow-bound in  
Nogal Canyon, on the highway to Hot  
Springs, New Mexico, and that 100  
men, members of the party, were  
trying to dig a passage way through  
the snowdrifts in the canyon. Food  
and fuel were taken to the canyon  
from San Marcial, reports stated,  
and no suffering was reported.

OFFICER IS  
KILLED BY  
2 CONVICTS

Posses Scouring Country For  
Men Who Shot W. D.  
Burns in Arkansas

Alicia, Ark., Dec. 3.—(By the  
A. P.)—Two escaped convicts from  
the Kansas penitentiary early today  
shot W. D. Burns, parole officer of  
Kansas, as Burns was taking them  
back to the penitentiary after they  
had been arrested in Texas. The  
convicts, B. E. Casey and a man  
named Keighton, then escaped after  
releasing the air of the Missouri-Pa-  
cific train. Officers are scouring the  
woods for them.

20 MILLION  
INCREASE IN  
BANK PROFITS

Comptroller of Currency Re-  
ports Total of Dividends  
Were \$179,000,000

Washington, Dec. 14.—Henry M.  
Dawes, Comptroller of the Currency,  
made an open appeal to the country  
in his annual report today for the  
preservation and protection of the  
national banks.

The national banking system, he  
said, deserves more consideration  
than it recently has received. He  
insisted that it is now a question  
for Congress to decide whether the  
several unfavorable factors bearing  
on the system shall continue or  
whether "we shall sit idly by and  
apathetically watch its retrogration."

Turning to bank operations, he  
Comptroller reported that dividends  
aggregating \$179,000,000 were paid  
by the national banks in the year  
ending November 1, the greatest  
issue ever made by the national  
banks of the country. He reported  
also that \$208,000,000 had been  
added to the combined profits ac-  
count of the national banks in the  
same period. This represents an in-  
crease of more than \$20,000,000 over  
the preceding year in the earnings  
of the national institutions.

BANDITS GET  
\$15,786.00

Philadelphia Dec. 14.—Two bandits  
today bound and gagged the pay-  
master of Michael Melody and Son  
Co., in the office of the concern and  
fled with \$15,786, which he was plac-  
ing in envelopes to pay the em-  
ployees.

LEAGUE PAPER  
OUT NEXT WEEK

The first issue of the North Dakota  
Nonpartisan League, to be published as the  
official organ of the Nonpartisan  
League, probably will be issued next  
Wednesday, according to J. H.  
Bloom, who is managing the paper.  
Mr. Bloom is now engaged in prepa-  
ration of "copy" for the issue.

ELECTION LAW  
SITUATION IS  
HELD MUDDLED

Secretary of State and Deputy  
See Possible Complication  
Arising in Them

FOR SPECIAL ELECTION

No Method Provided Under  
New Laws, Which Are  
Referred, They Say

Possible complications which may  
arise out of the referendum on elec-  
tion laws passed by the last legis-  
lature are being pointed to by officials  
who have made an examination of  
the election laws of the state, particu-  
larly as they are affected by the  
new laws. Discussion of the possi-  
bility of a special election in the  
event of the resignation of Con-  
gressman George Young added impetus  
to the discussion.

The referred measures include:  
House bill No. 285, relating to the  
nomination and election of presiden-  
tial electors, United States Senators,  
congressmen, national commit-  
tees, delegates to the national con-  
ventions and precinct committeemen.  
Senate bill No. 232, relating to the  
nomination and election of state and  
county officials, and house bill No.  
282, relating to state and county cen-  
tral committees.

Secretary of State Thomas Hall  
and Deputy Secretary Maurice Duffy  
say that under existing laws if a  
special election were called on March  
18 to select a successor to George M.  
Young, nominations may be made by  
party delegate conventions under au-  
thority of the laws of 1899 and 1905,  
or by petition under the laws of 1899  
and 1913. The method, they said,  
was laid down in the Burnett case  
by the supreme court.

Since both of the sections referred  
to are specifically repealed by house  
bill No. 285, according to Messrs.  
Hall and Duffy, the proposed parti-  
san election law, no provision is left  
for nominating candidates for special  
elections.

"The omission has a larger signifi-  
cance than its effect on the congres-  
sional situation," said Mr. Duffy.  
"Article 33 of amendments to the  
state constitution authorizing recall  
of officials, provides that the name  
of the recalled official shall automati-  
cally go on the ballot and other  
candidates for such office may be  
nominated in the manner as is pro-  
vided by law in primary elections.  
This provision has not been judiciously  
constructed but in practice other can-  
didates have been nominated by peti-  
tion. It is apparent that they cannot  
be nominated under existing or pro-  
posed laws at a primary election.  
Does the repeal of SB1A mean that  
the only name that will be printed  
on the ballot is that of the recalled  
officials?"

Mr. Hall believes that no special  
elections could be held if the repeal  
clauses of the law became effective.

BRIBERY IS  
RESORTED TO  
BY RUNNERS

Make Open Proposals to State  
Troopers on Guard Along  
New York Border

Malone, N. Y., Dec. 14.—(By the  
Associated Press)—Balked by the  
knowledge that federal and state  
prohibition agents have been rein-  
forced along the northeastern border,  
bootleggers anxious to fulfill  
contracts to deliver Christmas liquor  
and beer to the big cities downstate,  
have boldly resorted to attempted  
bribery of enforcement officers.

It became known today on unques-  
tioned authority that virtually every  
member of the state troopers along  
the northern patrol had been ap-  
proached with tempting offers of  
money by bootleggers or their  
agents. The troops, known as the  
"Black Horse Troopers," the fear of  
every bootlegger, comprises 55 mem-  
bers.

PUGH TO HEAR  
SWIFT CASE

The supreme court has designated  
Judge H. L. Berry of the Morton Cir-  
cuit Court to preside at the trial of  
Joseph Swift, charged with murder.  
A "double-barreled" affidavit was  
filed against District Judge Pugh  
and Bowman county. Judge Pugh  
sent the case to Adams county and  
the supreme court designated the  
judge. A jury disagreed in Swift's  
first trial in Bowman county, where  
the case was taken from Sioux county.

Austria Raises Freight Rates  
Vienna, Dec. 14.—In an effort to  
meet the railway deficit, Austria has  
increased freight rates 10 percent.  
Even with the increase the rates are  
far below pre-war times.

COLD WAVE STRIKES SOUTH, MAY  
CONTINUE AND ENVELOP FLORIDA

Milder Temperatures in Northwest Lessen Hope For a White  
Christmas, While in Texas and New Mexico Searches  
Are Being Made to Recover Bodies Lost in Blizzard

Chicago, Dec. 14.—(By the A. P.)  
While milder weather and rising  
temperatures in the northwest and  
central sections dispelled hope for  
"a white Christmas," colder weather  
and snowfalls were being generally  
experienced throughout the south to-  
day. The sweep of the cold wave  
was expected to extend as far south  
as Florida where showers were pre-  
dicted for today to be followed by  
rising temperature tomorrow. Warm-  
er weather brought out relief parties  
in sections of New Mexico and  
West Texas, where search is being  
made for persons reported to have  
been lost in a blizzard Monday. Re-  
covery yesterday of six bodies  
brought the number of victims of

freezing to 12 in the vicinity of El  
Paso. Prediction for the vicinity of  
Chicago, Great Lakes and Northwest  
indicated that the weather may re-  
main warm until the first of the year  
and the freezing temperatures and  
snow flurries which certain sections  
have experienced will be of short  
duration.  
Snow in Chattanooga, Tenn., fell  
to the depth of two and two-tenths  
inches and a four inch depth was  
experienced at Nashville today.  
Railroad and highway traffic in  
New Mexico blocked by the blizzard  
of the early part of the week is be-  
ing resumed according to reports and  
all bodies of those frozen during the  
storm are thought to be recovered.

ELECTRICAL  
ORDINANCE  
IS PROPOSED

Minot, Dec. 14.—Drafting of a  
new ordinance to clarify the schedule  
of changes for electrical inspection  
work in Minot was requested of City  
Attorney R. B. Bossard by the city  
commission, meeting in weekly ses-  
sion. Representatives of the elec-  
trical companies will be called upon  
to offer schedule, it is announced.

FIGHT BREAKS  
OUT ON CHANGE  
IN DELEGATES

Senator Johnson Attacks Ac-  
tion of Republican Nation-  
al Committee

ADAMS IN DEFENSE

Increased Representation to  
Southern State May Bring  
Convention Fight

Washington, Dec. 14.—Indications  
are becoming clearer that the Re-  
publican national convention may be-  
come the scene of a sharp fight over  
the national committee's action in  
restricting the delegate strength of  
southern states in its unexpected re-  
vision this week of reapportionment  
figures.

This trend first developed during  
the committee's discussion of the  
question became more marked today  
with publication of statements by  
Senator Johnson of California, a can-  
didate for the presidential nomina-  
tion, and Chairman John T. Adams  
of the committee attacking and de-  
fending the action.

While it has not been determined  
whether the Johnson organization will  
fight the southern delegate res-  
toration on the floor of the con-  
vention, Senator Howell of Nebraska,  
who opposed the revision at the  
committee meeting, holds the reopen-  
ing the question was without author-  
ity and has expressed the belief that  
if brought before the convention the  
decision would be set aside.

Senator Johnson, in his statement  
characterizes the revision as an act  
by which "the Republican party is  
penalized" and "the southern states  
where there is no Republican party  
and where delegations sometimes are  
a farce and a scandal are rewarded."  
The resolution of the national con-  
vention has been disregarded, the  
will of the Republicans of the party  
flouted," he said.

MESSANGER  
BOY RISES  
TO MANAGER

Devils Lake, Dec. 14.—Joseph  
Bauer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles  
Bauer formerly of this city but who  
moved to Great Falls, last June, has  
been recently made manager of the  
local Western Union telegraph office.  
Joseph Bauer first started work as  
a messenger. He received his grade  
schooling and two years' high school  
training here while his parents were  
still residents in the city. Starting  
as a messenger boy he worked in  
the local office for some time. Last  
February he left for Chillicothe, Mis-  
souri where he attended a telegraphy  
school for six weeks. Upon finishing  
his schooling, he was made manager  
of the office at Beach, North Dakota,  
where he stayed for five months. At  
that time he was transferred to Williston,  
where he was manager of that office  
for the past three months. Only re-  
cently he was promoted to be man-  
ager of the local office, and took over  
the management on Thanksgiving  
day of this year. Mr. Bauer is tak-  
ing the place of Tess Dunnweber  
who has been sent as relief manager  
of the office at Mitchell, S. D.

Ulster Purchases Mansion  
Belfast, Dec. 14.—The Ulster gov-  
ernment has purchased Hillsborough  
Castle, County Down, as an official  
residence for the Governor General,  
the Duke of Abercorn, whose seat  
"Baron's Court," is too remote from  
Belfast.

DEFENSE ASKS  
FOR CHANGE IN  
BANK CASES

Burleigh or Morton Counties  
Suggested, But Court  
Rules Otherwise

CHANGE IS GRANTED

Place of Trial of Those  
Charged in Bank Cases to  
Be Decided Later

Fargo, Dec. 14.—A change of venue  
will be granted in the Scandinavian-  
American Bank cases, it was an-  
nounced here today by Judge C. M.  
Cooley after an informal conference  
with counsel for the seven indicted  
men and for the state.  
Judge Cooley intimated that he  
would send the cases to either Grand  
Forks or Valley City but he took  
the matter under advisement for two  
or three days.

When the matter came up in dis-  
trict court this morning on the de-  
fendants' "double-headed" affidavits  
of prejudice there was no argument  
on the question. Judge Cooley said  
that a venue change would be granted  
but that he wanted sometime to  
consider the question of the court  
to which the cases should be sent.  
He then asked the attorneys to con-  
fer with him.

At this conference it was suggest-  
ed that as a matter of fact the cases  
could be tried in any county in the  
state including Cass. Judge W. S.  
Lauder of Wahpeton, who appears as  
counsel for F. W. Cathro, declared  
however that the defense could not  
obtain a fair trial in Cass county  
because of the bitter feeling that  
had been engendered here by the lo-  
cal newspapers. There was objection  
to Grand Forks county on the same  
ground, he asserted.

Attorney John Burke, who appears  
for H. J. Hagen, J. J. Hastings and  
N. G. Eggen, said the defense would  
prefer Valley City to Grand Forks.

MANAGER IS  
SELECTED

Washington, Dec. 14.—James W.  
Godd, former member of the house  
from Iowa and now practicing law in  
Chicago has been selected to manage  
the campaign in the Middle West for  
the nomination of President Coolidge  
in 1924.

HERE'S LATEST  
NATURE STORY

Here's the latest in local nature  
stories. This is not a fish nor a  
goose story but a coyote story.  
Alex Ashledge, living near the  
fort, says that while going home  
Wednesday night his auto ran over a  
coyote in the road and killed it. He  
adds that Henry Richolt confirms  
the story.

RARE BIRD  
GIVEN SOCIETY

A snowy heron or egret, from  
which the expensive egret plumes  
for expensive hats are obtained, has  
been presented to the State Histori-  
cal Society by August Timmerman  
of Mandan. The birds, killed in 1914  
in North Dakota, is very rare in this  
part of the country and now is al-  
most extinct because it has been  
hunted for the plumes.

\$50,000,000  
LOAN IS URGED  
BY N. DAKOTAN

Would Have Fund Provided  
to Enable Wheat Farmers  
to Diversify Operations

HAS A CONFERENCE

Goes Before President on Re-  
quest to Work Out Details  
of His Plan

Washington, Dec. 14.—Estab-  
lishment by Congress of a  
revolving fund of \$50,000,000  
to provide loans with which  
Northwest wheat farmers  
could buy livestock and take  
over steps to diversify their  
operations was proposed to  
President Coolidge by Dr.  
John Lee Coulter, president  
of the North Dakota Agricul-  
tural College, and F. E. Mur-  
phy, publisher of the Minne-  
apolis Tribune.

Dr. Coulter first presented  
the plan to the President a  
month ago and was asked by  
the chief executive to work  
out the details and to confer  
again with him.

ANTHRACITE  
CONTROL PACT  
IS DRAWN UP

Compact of States Conference  
Opens Before Pennsyl-  
vania Governor

Harrisburg, Pa., Dec. 4.—Draft of  
a proposed anthracite coal control  
plan and of a compact of states to pro-  
vide means of regulating the hard  
coal industry were in preparation to-  
day under the direction of Governor  
Pinchot as a result of action by  
conference of representatives of six  
anthracite consuming states here  
yesterday.

The general outlook of the federal  
act received the approval of the five  
states which in addition to Pennsyl-  
vania were represented at the  
meeting. The delegates did not go so far  
as to accept the compact plan, how-  
ever, but advised Governor Pinchot  
to have the proposal drafted in de-  
tail and submitted to the chief ex-  
ecutives of all hard coal consuming  
states for such action as they may  
desire to take without binding any  
of them to accept it.

BANDITS RAID  
CHINESE CITY

High Officials of Chiao Are  
Carried off by Them

Shanghai, Dec. 14.—(By the A.  
P.)—Three thousand bandits, under  
the leadership of the notorious Chen  
Yen-Teh and Wang Han-Ying cap-  
tured the town of Chiao Wednesday  
burning and looting the houses and  
carrying off the magistrates and edu-  
cation commissioner and two other  
officials together with more than 100  
residents of the town including many  
women, according to dispatches re-  
ceived here.

Inhabitants of the town who es-  
caped from the bandits during the  
pillaging of the homes fled to the  
nearby city of Qweiyang. They re-  
ported that the magistrate of Chiao  
was slain after he had been taken  
prisoner. The town is in the south-  
ern part of the inland province of  
Hunan which is west of here. Chang-  
sha is the capital city of the province  
and more than 100 miles north of  
the scene of the bandits' outrage.

EMMONS CO.  
FARMER DIES

Linton, Dec. 14.—Wm. P. Groen,  
a resident of the Hull neighborhood  
since the early '80s, passed away at  
his home Thursday of last week at  
one o'clock in the afternoon follow-  
ing a stroke of paralysis about six  
weeks ago. Deceased was born in the  
Netherlands April 28, 1850, and had  
become well known throughout the  
south half of the county during the  
many years he resided there. He  
was a widower, his wife having passed  
away two years ago. Four sons  
and four daughters survive, all but  
one living in the county. The sons  
are P. Wm. Arthur and Wm. Groen,  
of Emonso county and Jake Groen,  
living at Fountain, Colorado. The  
daughters are Mesdames Arend Hol-  
laar, Anthony Company, Peter Wolf  
and Arne Van Vugt, of the Hull and  
Westfield neighborhoods.



# CHURCH DANCES AROUSE BISHOP

Summons Pastor of New York Bowery Church on Carpet

New York, Dec. 12.—Dr. Norman Guthrie, pastor of St. Marks in the Bowery, and his board of vestry men were called before Bishop William J. Manning of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of New York today to explain reports of dances and festivals in the downtown church and parish house. These reports have "shocked and scandalized" Bishop Manning, he said.

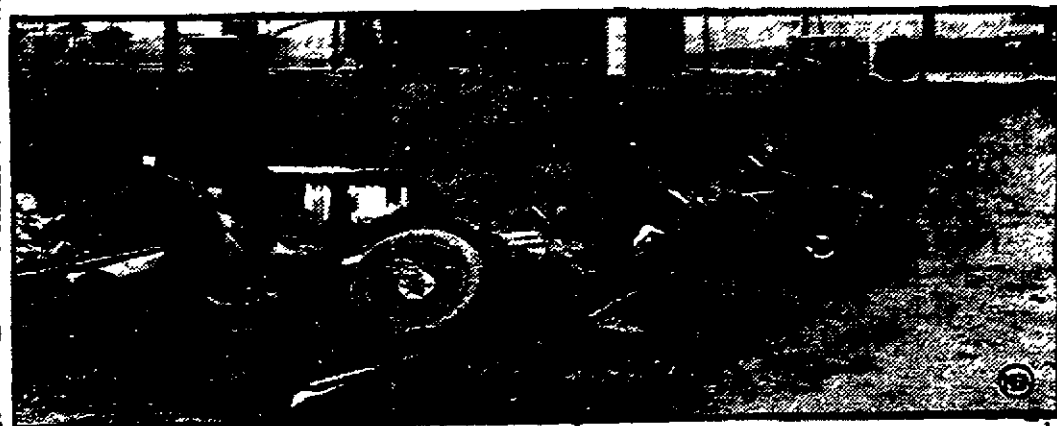
The dances, most of them of the Greek classic variety, have been given by the young women members of the parish as a part of Dr. Guthrie's avowed purpose of bringing beauty into religion. Last week newspapers gave considerable space to a festival of St. Nicholas in which they reported young men and women dressed with the signs of the zodiac mingled with those in the ancient myths. At various other times interpretative dances in which colored spotlights played as much of a part as they do in the theater have been reported.

# MORE AID TO BE GIVEN

New Loan Policies to be Pursued by Credit Bank

St. Paul, Dec. 12.—Larger financial aid to Northwest farmers through the federal intermediate credit banks will result from a new ruling by the federal loan board governing the basis on which loans are made, according to a word received here from Washington. Details of the new policy permitting more liberal aid are expected to be announced within a few days in conformity with the orders to be issued by the federal farm loan board, officials here said. Loans made by the intermediate

# IT SENT 10 TO THEIR DEATHS



This twisted debris of the automobile that stalled on the New York Central tracks at "Dead Man's Crossing," Forsyth, N. Y., is all that remains of the wreck of the Twentieth Century Limited. Its three occupants jumped to safety when they heard the first section of the wreck. Twenty-five bodies were completed here last Saturday. The report is being considered by the federal board in conference here today by President B. Q. Quenneville of the St. Paul bank.

# FARMER FREED OF ARSON BY TRAIL JURY

Hill-boro, N. D., Dec. 12.—Testimony introduced by the defense that attempted revenge for causing a "lovers' quarrel" was the motive for two men making confessions that they had been hired to burn the farm home of J. Edwin Knutson of Clifford, N. D., is thought one of the main factors which secured Knutson's acquittal by a jury in Trail county district court here tonight on a charge that he had hired the men to burn his house in order to get insurance on it. The jury returned the verdict after seven hours' deliberation. The trial lasted 10 days and was one of the most closely followed actions ever tried here. The prosecution based much of its case on the confessions of Ben Hil-ton of Clifford and Millard Scott, a

transient, who claimed that they had been hired to burn Knutson's house. Knutson's defense attorneys introduced testimony that Knutson had told her that Hil-ton was not proper company for her. Testimony was also introduced to show that Hil-ton had made threats against Knutson for his advice to Miss Ullrich. Character witnesses also testified as to Knutson's good standing in the community. The defense introduced testimony to show that Hil-ton had hired Scott to help him in his alleged attempt at revenge on Knutson. Hil-ton and Scott were sentenced to four years in prison each. Much credit is given State Fire Marshal Rende for their arrest.

A small rock taken from the highest point reached by the Mt. Everest expedition was sent to Pope Pius.

Order The Best  
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# RUSO BANKER IS SET FREE

Misunderstanding Caused Arrest, Officials Say

Minot, Dec. 12.—A misunderstanding of the reported facts in the case which were stated to States Attorney George Gibson of Washburn, North Dakota, over the telephone from Ruso today was blamed by McLean county authorities as the cause for the arrest on an embezzlement charge of Lee Crowell, president of the Ruso State Bank, now closed. Dismissal of the action was ordered last night by Assistant States Attorney J. T. McCulloch at Washburn. Crowell was arrested in Minot late Tuesday on a telegraphic warrant from Washburn. At the time authorities stated that Crowell was charged with the embezzlement of \$3,800 of school funds belonging to the Otis school district of Ruso. Crowell was treasurer of the school district, according to his attorney, H. E. Johnson of Minot and the bank of which he was president was a de-

signed depository for the school district.

# TABERT CASE INSPIRES FILM

Fargo, Dec. 12.—The case of Martin Tabert, the Minn. N. D. lad who died in a Florida prison labor leasing lumber camp of the Putnam Lumber company, as a result of whippings and mistreatment has gotten into the motion pictures.

The Whipping Post, a six reel melodrama recently released by the Manogram Pictures company, shows the horrors of the prisoner leasing system, says Laurence Reid in a review of the picture in the current issue of the Motion Picture News.

GIBSON RALLY PLANS TALKED. Minot, N. D., Dec. 12.—Preliminary plans for entertaining the state convention of Gideons in Minot next May 16, 17 and 18, were discussed at a meeting of officers of the local camp. It is expected that several hundred persons will attend.

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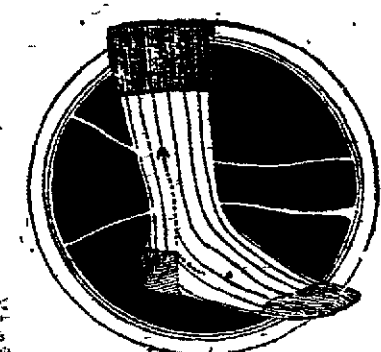
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I will gladly give full particulars to those interested, but would suggest early action as this ad is appearing in several newspapers and I am already conferring with prospective buyers.

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## USE TRAINING CAMPS FOR RECREATION

20 to 30 Major Army Camps Have Been Transferred Into Social Centers

MANY STAND IDLE

Turn Camp Zachary Taylor Into Suburban Village—Others Are Schools

Chicago, Dec. 14.—A diversified story of the peace time fortunes of from 20 to 30 major army training camps in 11 central states, revealing the wholesale collapse of these centers which a few years back teemed with the activity of hundreds of thousands of men—a story not without its humor and pathos—is shown in reports from headquarters of various army corps areas of the mid-west.

While no fewer than eight of these vast war schools have been permitted to lapse wholly from the part they

were built to play, others have fallen back merely to their former status as army posts or national guard cantonments and a third, some what smaller group, indicates by its present activities that military affairs have not and are not intended to slip back to the level of pre-war days.

Of the 16 camps in Texas, only seven have been definitely closed. Taliaferro Field has become a vast farm and tenants reap the benefits of water, light, sewer and road systems built by soldiers. Camp Bowie, at Fort Worth, has been given over to homeseekers, and at Camp Logan, near Houston, \$21,417 was realized for material and equipment which originally cost \$1,000,000.

Camp Grant, near Rockford, Ill., built in 1917 to accommodate 45,000 men, has been wholly abandoned, with the exception of a small portion now being used to train Illinois guardsmen. The Great Lakes training station, at Great Lakes, Ill., is today headquarters of the Ninth Naval District and counts 850 officers and 7,500 men. During the war hundreds of thousands of men were located there. Many of the war time buildings have been razed, and others are standing idle. Chanute Field, near Rantoul, is continuing its activity as an air mechanics' school for the entire country, and Scott Field, near Belleville, is being used today as a balloon school.

Camp Custer, near Battle Creek, Mich., now exists only as a summer tent camp for national guardsmen, while other war camps in Michigan

continue to operate under reduced conditions.

Camp Zachary Taylor, Louisville, Ky., which cost \$8,575,000, is now being used as a suburban village, and Camp Knox is serving as an artillery range. Camp Sherman, at Chillicothe, Ohio, is today the site of a veterans' vocational school. Retention of water filtration, sewage disposal and electric sub-station buildings for use in the event of another mobilization are envisaged in present plans which contemplate the dismantling of all other equipment of Camp Funston, Kan. Of the total original cost of this camp, estimated at \$15,000,000, auction sales of materials during the last two years netted about \$750,000.

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Almonds. Per pound ..... <b>20c</b>	
Peanuts, per lb. 17c. 3 pounds ..... <b>50c</b>	
Eggs, from the country. Per dozen ..... <b>37c</b>	
Coffee, White House. Per pound ..... <b>42c</b>	
Coffee, Red Rose. 3 pounds ..... <b>\$1.00</b>	
Cocoa. 2 pounds, bulk ..... <b>25c</b>	
Milk, Armour's Veribest. Large cans, 3 for ..... <b>35c</b>	
Apples, No. 3 size cans. Unsweetened. 3 cans ..... <b>70c</b>	
Apples, fancy, large cans. 3 for ..... <b>\$1.00</b>	
Peaches, fancy, large cans. 3 for ..... <b>\$1.00</b>	
Pears, Curtis Brand, large size. 3 for ..... <b>\$1.10</b>	
Corn, Fancy Crosby. 2 cans ..... <b>25c</b>	
Tomatoes, small size. 2 cans ..... <b>25c</b>	
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Grape Fruit Oranges Grapes  
Pears Bananas

### Apples

Fancy Delicious Wine Saps  
Roman Beauties

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Limburger Welch Rarebit Cream

### Salted Nuts

Peanuts Pecans Almonds

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### SATURDAY SPECIALS

White Cooking Figs, two pounds. . . . . **25c**  
Fancy Grape Fruit, medium size, three for . . . . . **25c**  
Quality Macaroni Spaghetti, 4 pkgs. . . . . **30c**

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10 pounds Granulated sugar ..... <b>\$1.00</b>	
Winter Apples box ..... <b>\$1.55</b>	
Fresh Dressed Spring Chicken. Per lb. .... <b>21c</b>	
Griffin's Farm Made Sausage. Per lb. .... <b>30c</b>	
English Walnuts, very best, lb. 35c. 3 lbs. .... <b>\$1.00</b>	
Rib Back Bacon, choice lot just in. Per lb. .... <b>25c</b>	
Seeded or Seedless raisins, 2 large packages ..... <b>28c</b>	
Choice Sugar Corn, 2 cans ..... <b>25c</b>	

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Richholt's Quality Coffee. 3 pounds ..... **1.20**  
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## LANGER SPEAKS ON BANK LAW

William Langer of this city is speaking today at Carrington and New Rockford in the interest of the proposed constitutional amendment providing a bond issue to reimburse depositors of banks which closed up to September 17, 1923. He will speak at Cooperstown Saturday on the measure. It is hoped to place it before the voters at the June primary, he said.

**KILLED IN CRASH.**  
Linton, Dec. 14.—Adam J. Heckelsmiller, aged 53, living at Fredonia, this state, was almost instantly killed last Thursday afternoon on the highway, two miles north of Linton as a result of a fractured skull received when the car he was driving upset and crushed him underneath.

Heckelsmiller and his 14-year-old daughter, Lizzie, were returning from Bismarck by automobile after having taken David Meier, a son-in-law of

deceased, to Bismarck where he boarded the N. P. for Helena, Mont., to enter a government tuberculosis sanitarium. Meier being a former service man.

### TWO ARRESTED

Linton, Dec. 14.—Adam Schumacher, living on the Little Beaver, and Roy Senger, a Bismarck boy, were arrested Tuesday by Sheriff Volk and Deputy Sheriff Gus Bossert and brought to Linton charged with having entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Benson, at the Burkhardt school in the Winona neighborhood, and having taken valuable to the amount of about \$400, including diamonds, rings, watches, shot-gun, clothing, etc. Both men under arrest are about 20 years of age.

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## BOND SALE IS DEFENDED BY GOV. NESTOS

Declares That Last Bonds Offered Went to Bidder Lowest by Several Thousand

The \$2,400,000 issue of real estate series bonds recently sold by the Industrial Commission went to the bidder who was lowest by \$4,940, this bid was \$60,000 better than the highest bid of any North Dakota bidder, sealed bids were presented and opened in the presence of all bidders, and no bids were changed, Governor Nestos declared today in answering attacks made in John Andrews' "Progressive" on the bond sale. Shown the Andrews' article, Governor Nestos immediately pointed out what he said were numerous mis-statements of fact and "obviously false conclusions and insinuations." Asked for a statement of the situation, the Governor said:

"The Industrial Commission has the power to sell the bonds either by private arrangement with a bond house or by competitive bids. The former administration apparently favored the first described procedure, but the present administration has acted on the assumption that better results would be obtained for the state by selling these bonds to the best bidder, although either course has its advantages.

"The procedure has been the same at each sale. At the hour set for the sale, blanks have been distributed, information given, and questions answered, and the adjournment then taken until later in the day to permit the bidders to prepare their bids. Exactly the same procedure was followed at this sale. The bids were asked for and received with the understanding that the Industrial Commission reserved the right to reject any or all bids, or to accept whatever bid seemed to be the best and would result in the lowest rate of interest for the state. At this time, as on former occasions when there were many bidders, all came into my office where the Industrial Commission and its secretary were seated and each bidder had his sealed bid in his own possession. In the presence of these men, all the bids were then received by the Industrial Commission and were opened and received before the eyes of the representatives of all of these bidders. Neither the governor nor any member of the Industrial Commission or any of the bidders, therefore, had any chance to discover what any other bidder was going to bid until these bids were opened in the presence of the whole group. Any fair-minded man will admit that this procedure is fair to all of them.

**Two Bids**  
"At the last sale, bids could be made either on 5-14 per cent bonds or on 5 per cent bonds, and as the average maturity of these bonds was about eighteen years, any bond man or banker will be able to tell you that a premium of over \$70,000 would have to be paid on the 5-14 per cent bonds in order to make them equivalent to 5 per cent bonds at par.

"There were bids on both classes of bonds and some on combinations of them. The best bid received on the 5-14 per cent bonds was from the Minneapolis group, offering a premium of \$49,200 which is over \$21,000 poorer bid than par for 5 per cent bonds. Two bids received offered a premium on 5 per cent bonds. Both of these bids were considerably higher than any of the other bids. One of them was submitted by the so-called Minneapolis group of houses, the other one by R. M. Grant & Company of New York and Chicago. Each one of these bids was an outright bid for a part of the bonds, with a short option on the balance, and they were the best bids even with the option. There was no change made or permitted in either of these bids during the noon recess, as charged in the Andrews' article. Both of these bidders merely notified the Industrial Commission that they would exercise their option immediately instead of waiting until the expiration of the time limit.

"The Minneapolis group of houses offered us a premium of \$5,500 on the 5 per cent bonds, and R. M. Grant & Company a premium of \$10,440 on the same bonds so that it was apparent to the Industrial Commission that R. M. Grant & Company's bid was better than their nearest competitor by \$4,940 and was more than \$60,000 better than the bid of the highest North Dakota bidder.

"How, under these circumstances, it can be charged that any favoritism was shown R. M. Grant & Company, is difficult to see even though the son of my secretary happens to be one of the agents of the company making the best bid. He certainly should not be condemned in urging his company to give North Dakota a good bid but should rather be praised for it. If there had been any disposition to show them any favoritism, the Industrial Commission would not have needed to ask for any bids at all, but might have given them the contract to sell all our bonds as the former administration did to Spitzer, Rorick & Company, and even if that were done I can assure you that we would have received a much better rate of interest for the state than did the former administration. To show how silly the contention of John Andrews is, I only need to call your attention to the fact that R. M. Grant & Company has been a bidder at every sale but one but that at sales prior to this fall they have not been the lowest bidder and therefore did not get the bonds and surely when they are the lowest bidders they are entitled to get them and the welfare of the state is promoted thereby.

**Declined To Bid**  
"The statement of the Andrews' article, with reference to the next to the last bond sale is also untrue. The bonds offered then matured in from five to ten years and we had tried all summer to get the different houses to bid on them but had failed to secure any bids for bonds of

## CARUSO WEDDING!



Mrs. Enrico Caruso, widow of the world-famous tenor, married Captain E. A. Ingram recently. The ceremony took place in the Oratory, Brompton, just outside of London. Photo, first to reach this country, shows the couple just after the wedding.

such short maturities. Finally, we were informed by Grant & Company that they could handle the bonds as they had some customers who were willing to buy short time obligations. We immediately notified the Minneapolis group of houses and asked them if they now cared to make a bid for these bonds as we would have to sell them, and they informed us that while they did not particularly care for them they would make a bid. Two bids were submitted and upon opening the envelope containing the bid of Grant & Company we found that they offered \$500 more of a premium than had been offered by the Minneapolis group of houses and the bonds were sold to them.

"The whole business has been conducted on the square and for the best interests of the state. Only those selfish individuals who were urging us to accept a bid \$60,000 poorer than the best bid, are making an outcry today and making it merely because they want us to sacrifice the best interests of the state in order to enable them to make a little extra money.

## MARKET NEWS WHEAT TAKES NEW UPTURN

Heavy Rains Hampering Argentine Harvest Cause

Chicago, Dec. 13.—Persistent selling of corn sent both corn and wheat downward today in the last hour. Reports that about 100 carloads of Canadian wheat were arriving daily at Minneapolis also had a bearish effect. Wheat closed today, 3-4 to 7-8 to 1 cent net lower, with Dec. 31, 03 5-8 and May 31, 03 1-4 to 1-08 3-8.

Subsequently weakness in wheat was largely the result of sympathy with declines in corn. Later a broadening out of selling took place and aggressive support was lacking. The corn close was heavy, 3-4 to 1-14 cents net lower, with May, 72 3-4 to 7-8 to 72 7-8.

Chicago, Dec. 14.—With heavy rains hampering the Argentine harvest wheat scored upturns today soon after the opening. The market displayed stubborn resistance to selling Commission houses were the main buyers.

Opening prices which varied from a shade to 1-8 higher December 104 3-8 and May 109 1-4 were followed by moderate gains and then something of reaction.

**ST. PAUL LIVESTOCK**  
St. Paul, Dec. 14.—Cattle receipts 1,500. Generally steady. Fairly active. Run includes several loads short-fed steers and yearlings unloaded at late hour. Common and medium beef steers and yearlings \$5.50 to \$9.00. Bulk \$7.50 and down. Fat cows and heifers \$3.00 to \$7.00. Bulk \$5.00. Canners and cutters \$2.00 to \$2.75. Bologna bulls \$3.25 to \$4.25. Bulk \$4.00 and under. Stockers and feeders light supply about steady. Bulk early sales \$4.50 to \$6.00. Calves receipts 1,000. Twenty-five cents lower considering improved quality. Best lights to packers \$8.00.

Best yearlings \$11. Sheep receipts 15,000. Fat lambs slow, steady to weak. Sheep scarce. Generally steady. Bulk medium to good fat lambs \$12 to \$12.75.

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### LANGER SPEAKS ON BANK LAW

William Langer of this city is speaking today at Carrington and New Rockford in the interest of the proposed constitutional amendment providing a bond issue to reimburse depositors of banks which closed up to September 17, 1923. He will speak at Cooperstown Saturday on the measure. It is hoped to place it before the voters at the June primary, he said.

#### KILLED IN CRASH.

Linton, Dec. 14.—Adam J. Heckelsmiller, aged 53, living at Fredonia, this state, was almost instantly killed last Thursday afternoon on the highway, two miles north of Linton as a result of a fractured skull received when the car he was driving upset and crushed him underneath. Heckelsmiller and his 14-year-old daughter, Lizzie, were returning from Bismarck by automobile after having taken David Meier, a son-in-law of

deceased, to Bismarck where he boarded the N. P. for Helena, Mont., to enter a government tuberculosis sanitarium. Meier being a former service man.

#### TWO ARRESTED

Linton, Dec. 14.—Adam Schumacher, living on the Little Beaver, and Roy Senger, a Bismarck boy, were arrested Tuesday by Sheriff Volk and Deputy Sheriff Gus Bosser and brought to Linton charged with having entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Benson, at the Burkhardt school in the Winona neighborhood, and having taken valuable to the amount of about \$400, including diamond ring, watches, shot-gun, clothing, etc. Both men under arrest are about 20 years of age.

#### A Timely Remedy

If Europe would discharge half her armies, she could discharge all her indebtedness.—Greenleaf (S. C.) Piedmont.

## BOND SALE IS DEFENDED BY GOV. NESTOS

Declares That Last Bonds Offered Went to Bidder Lowest by Several Thousand

The \$2,400,000 issue of real estate bonds recently sold by the Industrial Commission went to the bidder who was lowest by \$4,940, this bid was \$60,000 better than the highest bid of any North Dakota bidder, sealed bids were presented and opened in the presence of all bidders, and no bids were changed, Governor Nestos declared today in answering attacks made in John Andrews' "Progressive" on the bond sale. Shown the Andrews' article, Governor Nestos immediately pointed out what he said were numerous mis-statements of fact and "obviously false conclusions and insinuations." Asked for a statement of the situation, the Governor said:

"The Industrial Commission has the power to sell the bonds either by private arrangement with a bond house or by competitive bids. The former administration apparently favored the first described procedure, but the present administration has acted on the assumption that better results would be obtained for the state by selling these bonds to the best bidder, although either course has its advantages.

"The procedure has been the same at each sale. At the hour set for the sale, blanks have been distributed, information given, and questions answered, and the adjournment then taken until later in the day to permit the bidders to prepare their bids. Exactly the same procedure was followed at this sale. The bids were asked for and received with the understanding that the Industrial Commission reserved the right to reject any or all bids, or to accept whatever bid seemed to be the best and would result in the lowest rate of interest for the state. At this time, as on former occasions when there were many bidders, all came into my office where the Industrial Commission and its secretary were seated and each bidder had his sealed bid in his own possession. In the presence of these men, all the bids were then received by the Industrial Commission and were opened and recorded before dinner in the presence of all of these bidders. Neither the governor nor any member of the Industrial Commission or any of the bidders, therefore, had any chance to discover what any other bidder was going to bid until these bids were opened in the presence of the whole group. Any fair-minded man will admit that this procedure is fair to all of them.

Two Basis  
"At the last sale, bids could be made either on 5 1-4 per cent bonds or on 5 per cent bonds, and as the average maturity of these bonds was about eighteen years, any bond man or banker will be able to tell you that a premium of over \$70,000 would have to be paid on the 5 1-4 per cent bonds in order to make them equivalent to 5 per cent bonds at par.

"There were bids on both classes of bonds and some on combinations of them. The best bid received on the 5 1-4 per cent bonds was from the Minneapolis group, offering a premium of \$49,200, which is over \$21,000 poorer bid than par for 5 per cent bonds. Two bids received offered a premium on 5 per cent bonds. Both of these bids were considerably higher than any of the other bids. One of them was submitted by the so-called Minneapolis group of houses, the other one by R. M. Grant & Company of New York and Chicago. Each one of these bids was an outright bid for a part of the bonds, with a short option on the balance, and they were the best bids even with the option. There was no change made or permitted in either of these bids during the noon recess, as charged in the Andrews' article. Both of these bidders merely notified the Industrial Commission that they would exercise their option immediately instead of waiting until the expiration of the time limit.

The Minneapolis group of houses offered us a premium of \$5,500 on the 5 per cent bonds, and R. M. Grant & Company a premium of \$10,440 on the same bonds so that it was apparent to the Industrial Commission that R. M. Grant & Company's bid was better than their nearest competitor by \$4,940 and was more than \$60,000 better than the bid of the highest North Dakota bidder.

"How, under these circumstances, it can be charged that any favoritism was shown R. M. Grant & Company, is difficult to see even though the son of my secretary happens to be one of the agents of the company making the best bid. He certainly should not be condemned in urging his company to give North Dakota a good bid but should rather be praised for it. If there had been any disposition to show them any favoritism, the Industrial Commission would not have needed to ask for any bids at all, but might have given them the contract to sell all our bonds as the former administration did to Spitzer, Borick & Company, and even if that were done I can assure you that we would have received a much better rate of interest for the state than did the former administration. To show how silly the contention of John Andrews is, I only need to call your attention to the fact that R. M. Grant & Company has been a bidder at every sale but one but that at sales prior to this fall they have not been the lowest bidders and therefore did not get the bonds and surely when they are the lowest bidders they are entitled to get them and the welfare of the state is promoted thereby.

Declined To Bid  
"The statement of the Andrews' article, with reference to the next to the last bond sale is also untrue. The bonds offered then matured in from five to ten years and we had tried all summer to get the different houses to bid on them but had failed to secure any bids for bonds of

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Mrs. Enrico Caruso, widow of the world-famous tenor, married Captain E. A. Ingram recently. The ceremony took place in the Oratory, Brompton, just outside of London. Photo, first to reach this country, shows the couple just after the wedding.

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## MARKET NEWS WHEAT TAKES NEW UPTURN

Heavy Rains Hampering Argentine Harvest Cause

Chicago, Dec. 13.—Persistent falling of corn and wheat and wheat downward today in the last hour. Reports that about 100 carloads of Canadian wheat were arriving daily at Minneapolis also had a bearish effect. Wheat closed today, 3-4 to 7-8 to 1 cent net lower, with Dec. \$1.05 5-8 and May \$1.08 1-4 to \$1.08 3-8.

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St. Paul, Dec. 14.—Cattle receipts 1,500. Generally steady. Fatly active. Run includes several loads short-fed steers and yearlings unsold at late hour. Common and medium beef steers and yearlings \$5.50 to \$9.00. Bulk \$7.50 and down. Fat cows and heifers \$3.00 to \$7.00. Bulk \$5.50. Canners and cutters \$2.00 to \$2.75. Bologna bulls \$3.25 to \$4.25. Bulk \$4.00 and under. Stockers and feeders light supply about steady. Bulk early sales \$4.50 to \$6.00. Calves receipts 1,000. Twenty-five cents lower considering improved quality. Best lights to packers \$8.00. Hog receipts 14,000. Steady to around 25 cents higher. Averaging 50 cents higher. Better grades 140 to 250 pound averages \$6.50 to \$6.75. Bulk \$6.65 to \$6.75. Bulk packing sows \$6.00. Good pigs mostly \$6.10. Good native lambs around \$5.00. One deck choice 106 pound fed yearling weathers \$10.25. Small lot choice 90-pound fed yearling ewes \$9.00. Forty head 117-pound ewes \$7.00.

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Of the 16 camps in Texas, only seven have been definitely closed. Taha-ferro Field has become a vast farm and tenants reap the benefits of water, light, sewer and road systems built by soldiers. Camp Bowie, at Fort Worth, has been given over to homesteaders, and at Camp Logan, near Houston, \$21,417 was realized for material and equipment which originally cost \$1,000,000.

**Camp Grant**

Camp Grant, near Rockford, Ill., built in 1917 to accommodate 45,000 men, has been wholly abandoned, with the exception of a small portion now being used to train Illinois guardsmen. The Great Lakes training station, at Great Lakes, Ill., is today headquarters of the Ninth Naval District and counts 850 officers and 7,500 men. During the war time buildings have been razed, and others are standing idle. Chanute Field, near Rantoul, is continuing its activity as an air mechanics' school for the entire country, and Scott Field, near Belleville, is being used today as a balloon school.

**Camp Custer**, near Battle Creek, Mich., now exists only as a summer tent camp for national guardsmen, while other war camps in Michigan

continue to operate under reduced conditions.

Camp Zachary Taylor, Louisville, Ky., which cost \$8,575,000, is now being used as a suburban village, and Camp Knox is serving as an artillery range. Camp Sherman, at Chillicothe, Ohio, is today the site of a veterans' vocational school.

Retention of water filtration, sewage disposal and electric sub-station buildings for use in the event of another mobilization are envisaged in present plans which contemplate the dismantling of all other equipment of Camp Funston, Kan. Of the total original cost of this camp, estimated at \$15,000,000, auction sales of materials during the last two years netted about \$750,000.

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## ALL MUST MAKE GOOD

The importance of the record of the sixty-eighth Congress on the presidential election daily becomes more apparent. On the one hand, President Coolidge must demonstrate a big capacity for leadership and executive ability to make him a formidable candidate for the Presidency. He has already won the respect of a large number of voters of the country by his sane recommendations for the reduction of taxation and revision of the nation's laws, to maintain the country on an even, prosperous keel and to make possible a quicker readjustment of the nation's affairs. His campaign must necessarily be fought out in Washington, and he will be judged solely on his record.

At this time the progressive bloc in Congress is engaged in obstructionist tactics. There is the possibility for the La Follette group to gain advantage from their maneuvers and to go before the voters of the nation with a claim of accomplishment. But if this group confines its activities solely to obstruction, if it is to disorganize the Republican majority in the national Congress so that the sound proposals of the President will fail, the group will be utterly discredited.

The Democratic group hopes to gain through Republican embarrassment. But even recognizing the normal desire of the Democrats to place the party in a strategic position for the 1924 campaign it is hardly thinkable that the great body of voters will show any respect for legislators who allow partisan or personal consideration to be the chief motive for their actions.

The country desires action. A program already is before Congress, the wisdom of which in most particulars cannot be denied. The party or the individuals in Congress that halt the country's progress must prepare to take the consequences.

## A LESSON IN HISTORY

Will Hays, the czar of the movies, may not have inspired the production of "The Covered Wagon." But if Mr. Hays had done so, he would certainly have done much toward earning his first year's salary of \$150,000 for placing the industry on a firmer basis. For the producers of this motion picture have demonstrated the power of the silent drama exerted in the right manner. A vivid story of the winning of the west is visualized as it could be in no other manner and without dime novel methods; a valuable lesson is given to the student of American history which should be especially valuable to the school boy or girl seeking an understanding of the development of the nation, and spectacular entertainment is given without a jarring note to the finer sensibilities of the motion theater patrons.

## TRY A BOTTLE

The greatest medicine in the world is sleep. The next best curative and restorative—general tonic, in fact—is to lie flat on your back and relax. Some of our great men like to boast that they sleep only a few hours at night. That's because they don't need more sleep; their endocrine glands function unusually well; their general bodily recuperative powers are rapid; in a few hours they in effect, recharge their batteries as much as the average person does in eight hours. Most people need eight hours sleep. Many of us need more. And a lot of maladies, especially common colds and nervous ailments, are largely due to getting less sleep than is needed.

When you feel drowsy, nature is trying to tell you that your nerve cells have burned up their available fuel and become clogged with "ashes"—waste products and poisons that can be eliminated only when the body relaxes in slumber. Probably you've seen people "sleeping off a jag"—alcoholic poisoning. Sleep does the same to poisons that accumulate naturally during active hours.

Every mechanic knows that machinery has to have regular periods of rest. Run it night and day and it wears out prematurely—the hours of its "life" or activity are decreased. So with the body.

Persians in ancient times were the first people to have comfortable and beautiful beds. They appreciated the medicinal powers of sleep. And the old-time Greeks 2500 years ago helped their digestion by reclining on couches while eating slowly.

The worst investment in the world is a cheap, uncomfortable bed.

In winter we need an hour's more sleep than in summer. Try the super-medicine, sleep or relaxing in bed without losing consciousness, when you are out-of-sorts with a cold or other ailment. It's the closest to a cure-all yet discovered.

## USES ICE

Mrs. Duff-Cooper—formerly Lady Diana Manners—says the secret of her famous complexion is that she frequently rubs her face, nose, eyes, ears and neck with a lump of ice. This makes flesh firm, closes pores and starts blood circulation under the skin, the same as a venture into cold winter air outdoors.

Cold has medicinal powers. Submerging the head in cold water, then drying thoroughly to prevent taking cold, eases headaches and calms the nerves. Eyesight can be strengthened, we're told by burying the face in cold water every morning before breakfast and blinking the eyes for half a minute to give them a cold bath.

## PROHIBITION

A man in Quincy, Mass., offers \$100 to any one who will coin a word that will reflect on prohibition as much scorn, derision and contempt as the word "scab" in the labor field. We know a number of wets who could win this prize in a twinkling if allowed more space instead of limited to one word. Nothing quite as expressive (and futile) as a wet harping on his pet peeve.



One-half the world doesn't know why the other half fights.

They are opening Tut's tomb in Egypt. Bootleggers will claim that is where they got it.

Poland has cut down government expenses to even less than twice the amount they should be.

Mustapha Kemal continues to reign in Turkey. Old-timers say it is the hardest reigns in years.

So many things are happening in Russia a plan to make the days a few hours longer is needed.

General Metaxas' plans met with failure in Greece, but general high taxes prevail in America.

Austria is doing nicely, considering her bad environment.

Switzerland continues the home of fine watches. Her best watch at present is watching France.

Holland may lose her biggest cheese. He wants to go back and be kaiser of Germany again.

Baron Marks is the new foreign minister of Scandinavia, but no kin to Germany's barren marks.

Portugal's mad about a cable landing. Wants to know if the world takes her for Portuguese.

Since General Primo started running Spain half the Spanish seem mad enough to fight a bull.

Mussolini's still running Italy, but we don't know where to.

Argentine frigorificos have closed. That's what they call meat packers. We call ours worse.

You can hear Cubans singing on the radio late at night. They have something to sing about.

Hungary is not as hungry as she was. She wants a loan, but other countries may leave her alone.

Rumania lives next to Russia. In spite of it being a bad neighborhood rents are high.

Dimitroff is still making faces at Bulgaria. He may change his name to Dimitroff any day.

Czechoslovakia still has her independence, but she continues getting harder to pronounce.

Belgium's tired of backing up the French. Only thing she can get out of the Ruhr is herself.

Japan is recovering from her earthquake. The more ignorant still think it was an election.

The world may be small, but its people shouldn't be.

## ADVENTURE OF THE TWINS

By Olive Roberts Barton

The next riddle that the Riddle Lady asked in Riddle Land was this. See if you can guess it as quickly as Nick did.

"There is a chap I know well,  
Who travels through the skies,  
He sails along from light to dark,  
And he is wondrous wise."

"He is so wise he's lost his hair  
From thinking this and that,  
As he rolls 'round up in the air,  
And he is bald and fat."

"Bald and fat he is, sir,  
Yes, he is fat and bald.  
Another Humpty Dumpty,  
I've often heard him called."

"When he gets up he calls down,  
It's daylight, folk, awake!  
The day's begun, roll out of bed,  
Get dressed, for goodness sake!"

"And feed your pigs and chickens,  
And milk your brindle cow,  
And give your horse a bag of oats,  
Ere he goes out to plow."

"And all you birdies wake, too,  
And open your sleepy eyes,  
And all the bugs and beetles,  
And flowers and butterflies."

"And all the squirrels and rabbits,  
And fishes in the pool,  
And all the little girls and boys  
Who have to go to school."

"He peeps in all the windows,  
He hates a sleepy-head!  
And if perchance he finds one,  
He turns a fiery red."

"But mostly his complexion,  
Is golden, shining yellow,  
Now if you've no objection,  
Please name this jolly fellow."

"Who is it?" asked the Riddle Lady.

"The sun!" cried Nick.

"I was just going to say that," said Slow. "but I thought I'd wait awhile."

"Dear, dear, dear!" said the Riddle Lady. "It's just fellows like you and your brother, Sleepy Head, that make Mister Sun cross. Why do you always wait awhile?"

"I don't know," answered Slow. "I guess it's just habit."

"That's just what it is," declared the Riddle Lady. "And if Nick doesn't care, I'm going to give you the prize, for he doesn't need it. It's an alarm clock."

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## Santa Paid an Early Visit to Congress



## The Tangle

LETTER FROM LESLIE PRESCOTT TO LESLIE PRESCOTT, CARE OF THE SECRET DRAWER

At last, little Marquise, I have had a letter from Alice, and it seems to me that I am in a worse quandary than I was before. Who would have thought that my little sister would have arranged to plan to give me those pearls as just beads? It seems so hard and sophisticated. I can't even think of Karl's falling in with it.

And to think that Alice accuses me of knowing the pearls were real all the time. I guess I must be a little bit old-fashioned. I think it will be a good thing for mother to get over there as soon as possible. I don't like the tone of Alice's letter at all. She might be a woman of 35 instead of a girl of 18.

I never had an idea that Karl was collecting pearls for me and I do not know what to do. Now that Karl knows I know he gave me the pearls of course the thing to do would be to send them back and write a dignified letter saying now that I know they are real I cannot accept them. But—there is always a "but," isn't there, little Marquise, and in this case the "but" looms larger than anything has ever loomed in my life before—you see, I have sold three of these pearls and, of course, I can't give them back to Karl. (I have no way of raising nine thousand dollars even if I knew where to buy them back.) Of course Alice and Karl know I have lost one, but I cannot send the pearls back without making this humiliating confession.

It was all a mistake in the first place. I should have stopped immediately on the first suspicion that the pearls were real and kept them.

until I heard from Alice. Now I can neither tell Alice nor John because I couldn't tell John that I didn't get this money from my father, and I cannot tell Alice I have sold three of the precious stones. It would make him perfectly furious to know that Karl had been the means of helping him out of a tight place.

Then, little Marquise, I have got another trouble on my hands. I am wondering if Jack knows more about the gossip than has floated around about the picture, "Tramping His Heart" than I do. I know it is just like my dear Jack to stand by a friend as he is, but it seems to me he should do something to make Sydney come forward and tell the real story. It is going a little bit too far to ask one's friends to shoulder a lot of scandalous gossip as Sydney is doing. I know this is worrying Jack because he, too, is irritable and cross.

As for myself, I am in a most peculiar frame of mind. I wonder if you will think me a foolishly weak woman when I tell you that I find myself being influenced by gossip. This morning I refused to take little Jack out with me when I went to market, something that I always do. I left him home with old Nannie because I could not stand the idea that some woman who had heard this gossip, while making an excuse to talk with me, would look at little Jack carefully to see if he resembled anyone she knew.

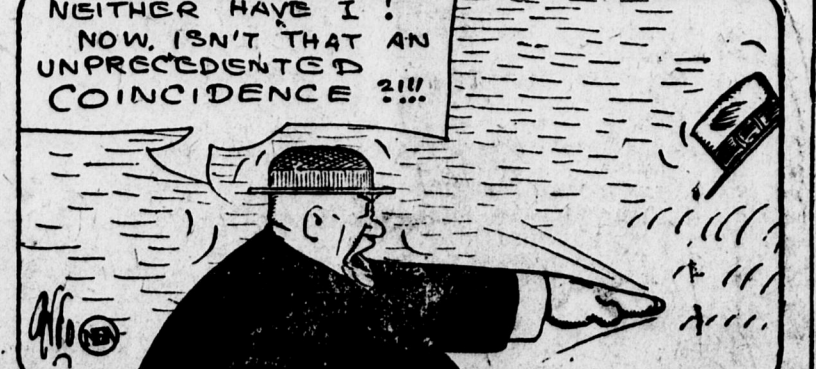
Perhaps Sydney Carton has already started to make reparation to that girl, as Jack told me last night he was on his way to Hollywood.

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Asbestos has been found in Hungary, Russia, New South Wales, New Zealand and Cape Colony.

## EVERETT TRUE BY CONDO

I THINK, MR. TRUE, THAT THROUGH SOME GENUFLECTION OF ETHICAL PREROGATIVE A RAPPROCHMENT COULD HAVE BEEN AFFECTED. AND AS FOR THE AGGRANDIZEMENTS AND EMOLUMENTS INCIDENT TO THE DIVESTITURE OF...



## Editorial Review

## NO SLAP AT THE LEAGUE

There has been a good deal of misleading comment on that portion of the president's message dealing with the world court. In various ways it has been made to appear that his recommendation for participation in the court was coupled with a slap at the League of Nations. Nothing of the sort appears in the message, and the misconception is inexcusable.

This is what the president said on the subject:

For nearly twenty-five years we have been a member of The Hague Tribunal, and have long sought the creation of a permanent World Court of Justice. I am in full accord with both of these policies. I favor the establishment of such a court intended to include the whole world. That is, and has long been, an American policy. Pending before the Senate is a proposal that this Government give its support to the Permanent Court of International Justice, which is a new and somewhat different plan. That is not a partisan question. It should not assume an artificial importance. The court is merely a convenient instrument of adjustment to which we could go, but to which we could not be brought. It should be discussed with entire candor, not by a political but by a judicial method, without pressure and without prejudice. Partisanship has no place in our foreign relations. As I wish to see a court established, and as the proposal presents the only practical plan on which many nations have ever agreed, though it may not meet every desire, I therefore commend it to the favorable consideration of the Senate, with the proposed reservations clearly indicating our refusal to adhere to the League of Nations.

The substance of much of the comment is such as to convey the idea that the president is hostile to the League of Nations, and that in recommending membership in the world court he proposes new conditions, in this way giving expression to his antagonism to the League. The fact is that President Coolidge has proposed nothing that was not proposed by his predecessor on the recommendation of the secretary of state in his letter to President Harding. Secretary Hughes set forth the purpose and character of the world court, and the desirability of American participation therein. In this letter he set forth certain reservations which he thought should be attached to a resolution authorizing membership, these being intended to remove any possible misunderstandings from American membership, and to make it clear that membership in the court in no way involved or implied membership in the League of Nations. That recommendation was approved by President Harding, who urged upon the senate that it authorize membership in the court on the terms suggested. That recommendation is still before the senate, and it is that recommendation, with the reservation originally attached, that President Coolidge now repeats. —Grand Forks Herald.

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BY J. P. BABCOCK

Leading Mah-Jongg Authority and Author of Babcock's Red Book of Rules

No. 3—Opening the Wall.  
The previous articles carried us up to the point where the wall had been built, four-sided and solid. Now we will break it and start play.

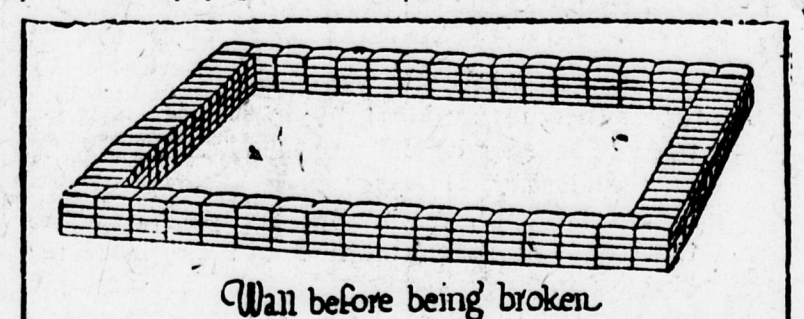
East Wind makes one throw of the two dice, totals the points so thrown, and starts counting counter-clockwise around the walls, commencing with his own. Thus, the East Wall is one, the South Wall two, the West Wall three, etc.

He stops when he has counted a number equal to the throw of the dice, and this is the wall to be opened. After playing a few even-

eleventh pair of tiles from the right corner of South's wall.

The two tiles thus removed are thereafter known as "loose tiles." They are placed face down side by side on top of the wall just to the right of the opening, the under tile being nearest the opening.

The Draw.  
Now comes the draw. East starts by drawing four tiles (two pairs of two) from the left of the opening. Then South takes the next four. West the next four, etc., until each hand contains 12 tiles. Then East



ings, the actual counting is obviated as you will learn from experience that East Wall is one, five or nine; South, two, six or ten; West, three, seven or eleven; and North, four, eight or twelve.

Determination of the spot to be opened in the wall thus selected is made by another throw of the dice, this time by him whose wall is to be opened.

He throws the two dice and the total of the throw is added to the wall to be opened. Thus if East threw six, the South then threw five, the six thrown by East and the five thrown by South would be added, giving a total of 11.

Taking the latter number, he whose wall is to be opened starts counting from the right end of his wall, counts one on each pair of tiles to the left and removes that pair of tiles whose number corresponds to the determined number. In the example given above, it would be the

Each player now arranges his hand by drawing four tiles (two pairs of two) from the left of the opening. Then South takes the next four. West the next four, etc., until each hand contains 12 tiles. Then East

Each player should see only his own hand. This can be accomplished by setting his tiles on end and near his own edge of the table, or by the use of racks.

The Mah-Jongg racks are a contribution of American ingenuity. For 3000 years the Chinese played without accessories, but in one year Americans have added special tables, racks, pencils, score sheets, counter holders, table covers and doubling scales. The doubling scale is on the rack, and enables a player to determine his score at a glance rather than by the sometimes long process of multiplication and addition involved in scoring without racks.

## PEOPLE'S FORUM

## OPPOSES BANK LAW.

Editor The Tribune:

By the love of Mike what is Bill coming at?

He is showing partiality. You are asked to sign a petition to help those depositors in all banks that went insolvent prior to September 17, 1923. Say you know that boats the Dutch! Are any of you voters going to sign up for such a law as that proposed by Bill. I sympathize with every one who has money in those closed banks but those that closed after December 17, 1923, I cannot see that they will be benefited by it. I am busy serving as a juror now in district court. If I was at home I would write more about it. However, do not mean to let my folks know in Baldwin, that I will never sign anything like that.

JULIUS MEYER.

## MANDAN NEWS

The Northern Pacific wooden station building at Sims, was completely destroyed yesterday morning by fire which is believed to have been caused by an overheated stove. Members of the crew of an eastbound freight which passed Sims at 3:30 o'clock said that there had been no signs of the fire at that time. It is thought that the blaze started at 4 o'clock.

It is doubtful if the station will be rebuilt since the Northern Pacific officials has been considering abandoning the station for some time past.

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## A Thought

He that giveth unto the poor shall not lack; but he that hideth his eyes shall have many a curse.—Prov. 28:27.

The miser, poor fool, not only starves his body, but also his own soul.—Theodore Parker.

Ah, Real Scandal!  
MISTRESS—Miss Elsie is coming out next week.

COOK—Indeed, ma'am. So is my husband.—Tit-Bits (London).

Hubby Knows  
"Could you spare the time for an hour's talk?"

"Certainly. My wife has just told he'll be ready in a minute.—Exchange.

They Should Be Grateful  
SIMP—We have a great deal to be thankful for.

MRS. SIMP—Indeed we have. I'm real glad that my friends haven't got the things we can't afford, either.—Judge.

Wonderfully Invigorating  
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One-half the world doesn't know why the other half fights.  
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Poland has cut down government expenses to even less than twice the amount they should be.

Mustapha Kemal continues to reign in Turkey. Old-timers say it is the hardest reigns in years.

So many things are happening in Russia a plan to make the days a few hours longer is needed.

General Metaxas' plans met with failure in Greece, but general high taxes prevail in America.

Austria is doing nicely, considering her bad environment.

Switzerland continues the home of fine watches. Her best watch at present is watching France.

Holland may lose her biggest cheese. He wants to go back and be kaiser of Germany again.

Baron Marks is the new foreign minister of Scandinavia, but no kin to Germany's barren marks.

Portugal's mad about a cable landing. Wants to know if the world takes her for Portuguese.

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Argentine frigorificos have closed. That's what they call meat packers. We call ours worse.

You can hear Cubans singing on the radio late at night. They have something to sing about.

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Rumania lives next to Russia. In spite of it being a bad neighborhood rents are high.

Dimitroff is still making faces at Bulgaria. He may change his name to Dimitroff any day.

Czechoslovakia still has her independence, but she continues getting harder to pronounce.

Belgium's tired of backing up the French. Only thing she can get out of the Ruhr is herself.

Japan is recovering from her earthquake. The more ignorant still think it was an election.

The world may be small, but its people shouldn't be.

**ADVENTURE OF THE TWINS**

By Olive Roberts Barton

The next riddle that the Riddle Lady asked in Riddle Land was this. See if you can guess it as quickly as Nick did.

"There is a chap I know well, Who travels through the skies, He sails along from light to dark, And he is wondrous wise."

"He is so wise he's lost his hair From thinking this and that, As he rolls 'round up in the air, And he is bald and fat."

"Bald and fat he is, sir, Yes, he is fat and bald. Another Humpty Dumpty. I've often heard him called."

"When he gets up he calls down, 'It's daylight, folk, awake! The day's begun, roll out of bed, Get dressed, for goodness sake!'"

"And feed your pigs and chickens, And milk your brindle cow, And give your horse a bag of oats, Ere he goes out to plow."

"And all your birdies wake, too, And open your sleepy eyes, And all the bugs and beetles, And flowers and butterflies."

"And all the squirrels and rabbits, And fishes in the pool, And all the little girls and boys Who have to go to school."

"He peeps in all the windows, He hates a sleepy-head! And if perchance he finds one, He turns a fiery red."

"But mostly his complexion, Is golden, shining yellow, Now if you've no objection, Please name this jolly fellow."

"Who is it?" asked the Riddle Lady.  
"The sun!" cried Nick.  
"I was just going to say that," said Slow. "But I thought 'I'd wait awhile.'"

"Dear, dear, dear!" said the Riddle Lady. "I tell fellows like you and you brother, Sleepy Head, that make Mister Sun cross. Why do you always wait awhile?"

"I don't know," answered Slow. "I guess it's just habit."

"That's just what it is," declared the Riddle Lady. "And if Nick doesn't care, I'm going to give you the prize, for he doesn't need it. It's an alarm clock."

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**Santa Paid an Early Visit to Congress**



**The Tangle**

LETTER FROM LESLIE PRESCOTT TO LESLIE PRESCOTT CARE OF THE SECRET DRAWER

At last, little Marquise, I have had a letter from Alice, and it seems to me that I am in a worse quandary than I was before. Who would have thought that my little sister would have arranged to plan to give me these pearls as just hands? It seems so hard and sophisticated. I can't even think of Karl's falling in with it.

And to think that Alice accuses me of knowing the pearls were real all the time. I guess I must be a little bit old-fashioned. I think it will be a good thing for mother to get over there as soon as possible. I don't like the tone of Alice's letter at all. She might be a woman of 35 instead of a girl of 18.

I never had an idea that Karl was collecting pearls for me and I do not know what to do. Now that Karl knows I know he gave me the pearls of course the thing to do would be to send them back and write a dignified letter saying now that I know they are real I cannot accept them. But—there is always a "but".

There, little Marquise, and in this case the "but" looms larger than anything has ever loomed in my life before—you see, I have sold three of these pearls and, of course, I can't give them back to Karl. (I have no way of raising nine thousand dollars even if I knew where to buy them back.) Of course Alice and Karl know I have lost one, but I cannot account for the other three. I cannot send the pearls back without making this humiliating confession.

It was all a mistake in the first place. I should have stopped immediately on the first suspicion that the pearls were real and kept them.

As for myself, I am in a most peculiar frame of mind. I wonder if you will think me a foolishly weak woman when I tell you that I find myself being influenced by gossip. This morning I refused to take little Jack out with me when I went to the market, something that I always do. I left him home with old Nannie because I could not stand the idea that some woman who had heard this I gossip, while making an excuse to talk with me, would look at little Jack carefully to see if he resembled anyone she knew.

Perhaps Sydney Carton has already started to make reparation to that girl, as Jack told me last night he was on his way to Hollywood. (Copyright, 1923, NEA Service, Inc.)

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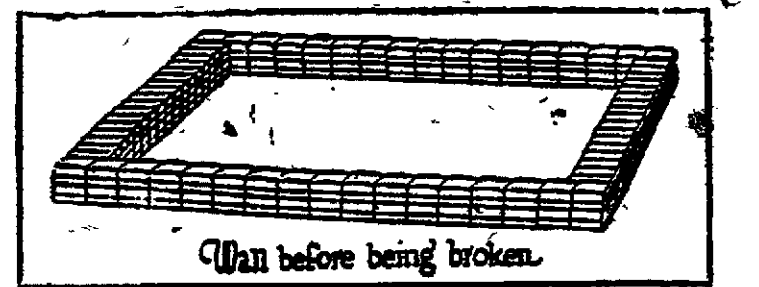
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**MAT-JONGG**  
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No 3—Opening the Wall.  
The previous articles carried us up to the point where the wall had been built, four-sided and solid. Now we will break it and start play.  
East Wind makes one throw of the two dice, totals the points so thrown, and starts counting clockwise around the walls, commencing with his own. Thus, the East Wall is one, the South Wall two, the West Wall three, etc.  
He stops when he has counted a number equal to the throw of the dice, and this is the wall to be opened. After playing a few even-



ings, the actual counting is abbreviated as you will learn by actual experience that East Wall is one, five or nine; South, two, six or ten; West, three, seven or eleven; and North, four, eight or twelve.

Throw Dice Again.  
Determination of the exact spot to be opened in the wall thus selected is made by another throw of the dice, this time by him whose wall is to be opened. He throws the two dice and the total of the throw is added to the total thrown by East in determining the wall to be opened. Thus if East threw six, the South then threw five, the six thrown by East and the five thrown by South would be added, giving a total of 11.

Taking the latter number, he whose wall is to be opened starts counting from the right end of his wall, counts one on each pair of tiles to the left and removes that pair of tiles whose number corresponds to the determined number. In the example given above, it would be the eighth tile from the right.

Each player now arranges his hand by suits, dragons and winds, placing together all those of a kind. Each player should see only his own hand. This can be accomplished by setting his tiles on end and near his own edge of the table, or by the use of racks.

The Mah Jongg racks are a contribution of American ingenuity. For 3500 years the Chinese, played without accessories, but in one year Americans have added special tables, racks, pencils, score sheets, counter holders, table covers and doubling scales. The doubling scale is on the rack, and enables a player to determine his score at a glance rather than by the sometimes long process of multiplication and addition involved in scoring without racks.

**PEOPLE'S FORUM**

**OPPOSES BANK LAW.**  
Editor The Tribune:  
By the love of Mike what is Bill coming at!

He is showing partiality. You are asked to sign a petition to help those depositors in all banks that were insured prior to September 17, 1923. Say you know that beats the Dutch! Are any of you voters going to sign up for such a law as that proposed by Bill? I sympathize with every one who has money in those closed banks but those that closed after December 31, 1923, I cannot see that they will be benefited by it. I am busy serving as a juror now in district court. If I was at home I would write more about it. However, I do not mean to let my folks know in Baldwin, that I will never sign anything like that.

**MANDAN NEWS**  
The Northern Pacific wooden station building at Sims, was completely destroyed yesterday morning by a fire which is believed to have been caused by an overheated stove. Members of the crew of an eastbound freight which passed Sims at 3:30 o'clock said that there had been no signs of the fire at that time. It is thought that the blaze started at 4 o'clock.

It is doubtful if the station will be rebuilt since the Northern Pacific officials have been considering abandoning the station for some time past.

Charles Bassett, Minneapolis traveling man for the Garford Motor Truck company who was injured Tuesday in an automobile collision is reported to be resting easy in the Deaconess hospital and is believed to be recovering rapidly.

Frank Wetstein, driver of the car, left the hospital yesterday. He is suffering from three cracked ribs. Hennis Wetstein who escaped any cuts or broken bones in the wreck is, however, nursing many bruises about the body.

**A Thought**  
He that giveth unto the poor shall not lack; but he that hideth his eyes shall have many a curse.—Prov. 28:27.

The miser, poor fool, not only starves his body, but also his own soul.—Theodore Parker.

**Real Scandal!**  
MISTRESS—Miss Elsie is coming out next week.  
COOK—Indeed, ma'am. So is my husband.—Tit-Bits (London).

**Hobby Knows**  
"Could you spare the time for an hour's talk?"  
"Certainly. My wife has just told he she'll be ready in a minute.—Exchange.

**They Should Be Grateful**  
SIMP—We have a great deal to be thankful for.  
MRS. SIMP—Indeed we have. I'm real glad that my friends haven't got the things we can't afford, either.—Judge.

**Wonderfully Invigorating**  
"Your medicine has helped me wonderfully," wrote the grateful woman. "A month ago I could not spank my baby and now I am able to thrash my husband. Heaven bless you!"—Boston Transcript.

**Stomach Misery**  
Acidity, Gas, Gas, Indigestion  
"Pape's Dispepsin" is the quickest, surest relief for indigestion, gases, flatulence, heartburn, sourness, fermentation or stomach distress caused by acidity. A few tablets give almost immediate stomach relief. Correct your stomach and digestion now for a few cents. Druggists sell millions of packages.

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Originally the drummers were generally bedizened negroes, the last of whom, John Baptist, of the Scots Guard, did not disappear till about the time of the Crimean war. Even yet traces of the negroes remain in the leopard skin and the flourishes of the bandmaster's staff and the stick of the man in charge of the big drum.

**Tough on the Baby.**  
Jones was very proud of his son and heir, who had only arrived at his home but recently. He invited all his friends and acquaintances down to inspect the baby, and was never happier than when he was showing off his son's good points.

Smith was among the party of inspection. "Well, Smith," said Jones as he proudly showed the little wonder, "what do you think of that for a strapping lad?"  
Smith made no reply.  
"Think he looks like me?" persisted Jones.  
"He's well, all right, but you tell the truth, I'm afraid he does."

**Frank's Curious.**  
The United States is generally credited with the bulk of Frank's surprises and had just been in the service in which the origin of Eve had been dwelt on at some length. On his return from service he displayed a good deal of interest in the eatables, especially the pie and cakes.

Some time afterward, being missed he was found sitting quietly in a corner with his hands pressed over his eyes and an expression of awful anxiety on his face.

"Why, what on earth is the matter?" asked his mother in alarm.  
"Mamma, I'm afraid I'm going to have a wife," Little Johnnie replied.

**The Morepuss That Was.**  
Moropus, a fossil animal which once lived in what is now Nebraska, was about the size of a modern camel, had a neck like a horse, back and tail like a rapier, legs like a rhinoceros, but had claws instead of hoofs.

**Four Rivers Overflow.**  
PARIS—Furious storms and torrential rains have caused great damage in all parts of France. Large areas beside the Rhone, Ain and Aube are flooded.

KING LED IN ARTCRAFT

Declared He Could Make His Living at Any Trade Save That of Making Hangings.

"Little Korea, now being urged by its leaders to use only articles of Korean manufacture," says Horace B. Cheney, "is advocating nationalization of its own arts and industries. Just as Charles I did during his reign."

"The Jacobean period of decoration has been called the most distinctly national of the English periods; for, while largely inspired by Low Country models, it was yet developed originally by English craftsmen. And those had displaced the foreign workers of Elizabethan times."

The Jacobean period was ushered in with James I, "The Wisest Foot in Christendom," but not until the times of Charles, "saint and martyr," were its possibilities of beauty developed.

"Charles was the spirit of its efforescence. He, like Francis I and Louis XIV, the Magnificent, loved beauty for its own sake. Indeed, he was a true craftsman, saying of himself, 'I believe I could make my living by any trade save that of making hangings.' The friend of Van Dyck, the patron of the brilliant Van Dyck, a connoisseur who was also a king—and yet a king, alas, who knew all the arts except the art of governing."

At his reign, the turned and twisted work of his father's day came to softer, more delicately crated beauty, and the characteristics of modern renaissance ornamentation manifested themselves in geometrically patterned arrangements and a growing use of inlay. The great hall (still the most important feature of the majestic English home), was then indeed a thing of state splendour, rich with tapestries and hangings, warm with paneling, exquisite with ornamental ceilings, mantelpieces and lofty bay windows.

PASSING OF THE PEDDLER

Canvassers and Agents Are Now Known as Specialty Salesmen.

There are no more peddlers, canvassers and agents. At least those engaged in the business of selling from house to house would so have us believe. These gentlemen prefer to be called specialty salesmen, and the custom today is to call any individual a specialty salesman who does not sell for resale—in other words, who sells directly to the consumer.

The specialty salesman of today who sells from house to house is not the canvasser or peddler of yesterday. In fact, there is a wide difference in the methods employed, the characteristics of the individual and in the method of selection of the individual. In some remote and more or less isolated cases, however, the old style of selling is still used to some degree. As a general rule, however, the specialty salesman is better educated, better fed, better clothed and a far more clever salesman than the agent of a decade ago.

Not that some of the old-style agents and canvassers were "bunches at selling." Far from it. As a matter of fact, many of the old-timers were very smooth artists, and the very smoothness and aggressiveness made them individuals worth watching.—Nation's Business.

**Stamp of Approval.**  
There's a certain man who is well known as a tyrant in his office, but a very docile husband at home. The contrast is so decided that a friend asked if he were a sort of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde.

"No," said the man, "and I'll let you in on the secret. The gas company is really to blame."

"We had been getting the same-sized gas bill month after month; just the same number of cubic feet consumed, and I began to figure that there must be something wrong with the meter and wrote the gas company about it. They inspected the meter and then wrote to me saying:

"There is nothing wrong with the meter. It merely goes to show that you have a well-ordered and regularly conducted household routine."

"And I, like a chump, showed the letter to my wife, and she hasn't let me have a thing to say about running the house ever since."

**Too High Up to See Him.**  
A man about town, meeting a friend who had recently become a judge, extended his congratulations and then said: "And I will now tell you good-by."

"Why," asked his honor, "are you going away?"

"Neither am I. So why this good-by?"

"It is this way," explained the party of the first part. "I have known many men who became judges, governors or what not. After their elevation very few of them were able to see me again."

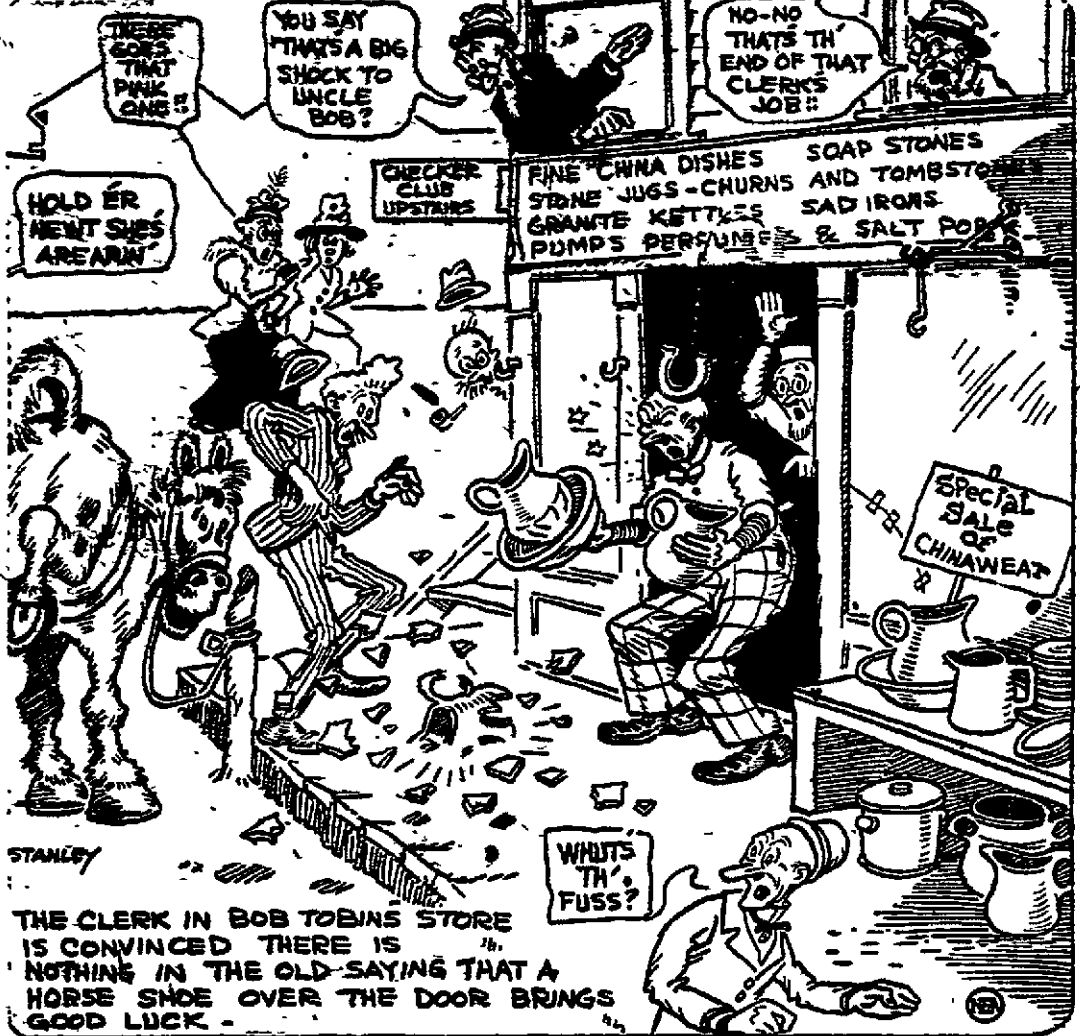
**Shakespeare Had Vision.**  
"What a man Shakespeare was," said the man on the train.  
"What has aroused your admiration now?" inquired his seat mate.  
"You know he speaks of a woe-ful ballad to a lady's eyebrows," answered the other.  
"Well?"  
"Have you noticed the eyebrows lately?"  
"Any ballad to one of them would naturally be woe-ful."

**Some Record.**  
Married in 1883, a mother before her seventeenth birthday, a grand mother fifteen years later, at the age of thirty-one is the record of a woman living in Carmarthenshire, Wales.

**Depth of Mediterranean.**  
The greatest depth of the Mediterranean sea is about 14,000 feet.

**Good Man for Infantry.**  
YORKSHIRE, Eng.—A Swainston, a postman here, has walked 174,480 miles. That's seven times the distance around the world. Yet it was covered entirely on his route at Cat-

THE OLD HOME TOWN



THE CLERK IN BOB TOBINS STORE IS CONVINCED THERE IS NOTHING IN THE OLD SAYING THAT A HORSE SHOE OVER THE DOOR BRINGS GOOD LUCK.

OUT OUR WAY



terrick Bridge. He has just completed 34 years in the postal service. But it proved good luck for him. The magistrates dismissed the case. Several score septuagenarians, octogenarians and nonagenarians already are enrolled. Weekly meetings are held for discussion of the "good old days."

**He Scared 'Em Out.**  
FAVERSHAM, Kent, Eng.—A man entered the dock with a black cat under his arm here the other day.

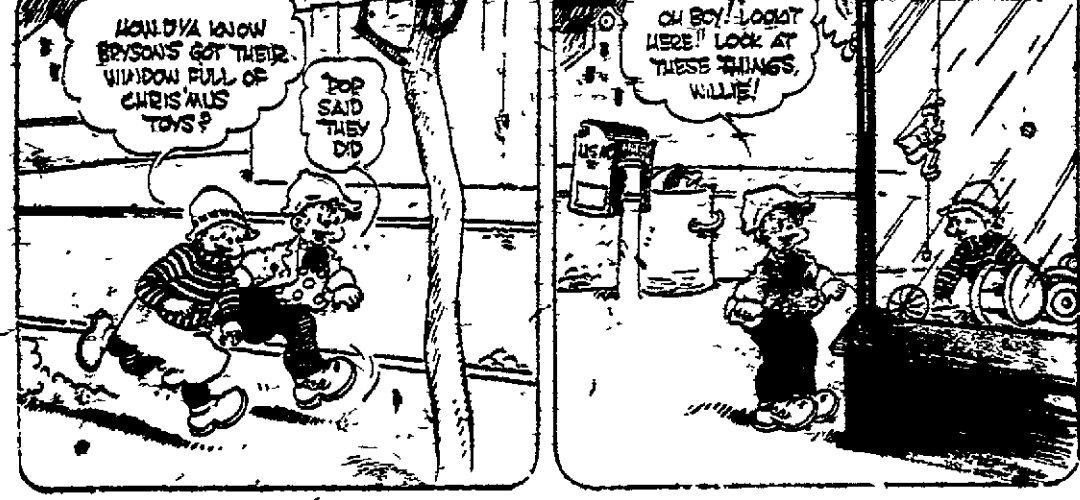
**Pleanty to Talk About.**  
BUDAPEST—A fellow has to be at least 70 to get into Budapest's newest and most "exclusive" club.

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KITCHEN CUPBOARD

BY NELLIE MAXWELL

WHAT TO EAT

Something seasonal, palatable, economical and with a minimum amount of work is not the easiest thing a housewife has to do in planning her meals. Some cooks and the breakfast a hard meal to plan; others depending upon the tastes of the family, find it the easiest of meals. However, it should be a reasonably simple meal, easy to prepare, digestible and wholesome, suited to the individual's age and occupation. In general the favored breakfast menu may be fruit in season, cereal with cream and sugar or without sugar, eggs, toast and coffee. Omitting the eggs, sausage may be served with hot cakes instead of toast.

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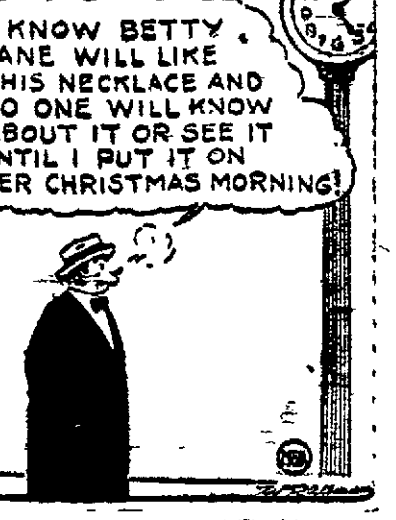
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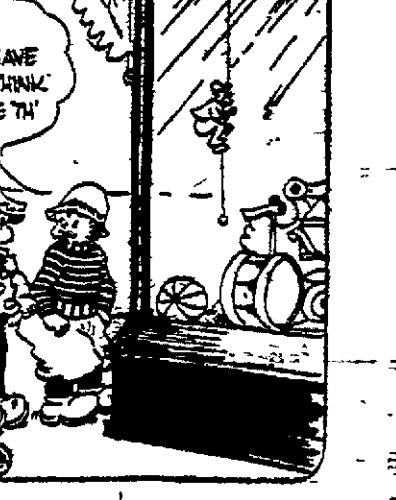
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Can anyone nowadays imagine a military band without a single drum? Of course not! Yet it was not until the end of the Eighteenth century that the drum was admitted into the regimental bands of England, though it had been in use for some years on the continent. And it is recorded that George III was much upset because, in 1788, the duke of York wanted to introduce the new instrument into the Guards' bands.

Possibly part of the prejudice against the drum was due to its origin, the first soldiers to march to "beat of drum" being the Janissaries, the renegade Christians in the service of the Turks. The fashion, however, was copied by the Austrians and then by the French and Prussians.

Originally the drummers were gorgeously bedizened negroes, the last of whom, John Baptist, of the Scots Guard, did not disappear till about the time of the Crimean war. Even yet traces of the negroes remain in the leopard skin and the flourishes of the bandmaster's staff and the stick of the man in charge of the big drum.

### Tough on the Baby.

Jones was very proud of his son and heir, who had only arrived at his house but recently. He invited all his friends and acquaintances down to inspect the baby, and was never happier than when he was showing off his son's good points.

Smith was among the party of inspection. "Well, Smith," said Jones as he proudly showed off the wonder child, "what do you think of that for a strapping lad?"

Smith made no reply.

"Think he looks like me?" persisted Jones.

"I'm—well—er—ha—hum—well Jones—well, old pal, to tell you the truth, I'm afraid he does."

### Freak Gaurds.

The United States is generally credited with the bulk of freak enterprises and ideas, but at last we seem to be likely to be relieved of some of this notice. Paris has a paper devoted to the interests of servants. It is appropriately called "L'Escalier de Service" or "Back Stairs" periodical. It is filled with the doings of servants and prints stories about butlers, cooks, parlor-maids, etc. Its subscription list was 6,000 when the first number was issued. Janitors in Paris are a powerful class, as is witnessed by their union and their "rules" for tenants. They also have a "house organ," but it is of more limited appeal than the one cited.—Scientific American.

### All of Adam's Symptoms.

Little Johnnie, six years old, had been to church, and had displayed more than usual interest in the sermon, in which the origin of Eve had been dwelt on to some length. On his return from service he displayed a good deal of interest in the eatables, especially the pie and cakes.

Some time afterward, being missed he was found sitting quietly in a corner with his hands pressed over his ribs and an expression of awful anxiety on his face.

"Why, what on earth is the matter?" asked his mother in alarm.

"Mamma, I'm afraid I'm going to have a wife," Little Johnnie replied.

### The Moropus That Was.

Moropus, a fossil animal which once lived in what is now Nebraska, was about the size of a modern camel, had a neck like a horse, back and tail like a tapir, legs like a rhinoceros, but had claws instead of hoofs.

### Four Rivers Overflow.

PARIS—Furious storms and torrential rains have caused great damage in all parts of France. Large areas beside the Rhone, Ain and Aube are flooded.

### KING LED IN ARTCRAFT

Declared He Could Make His Living at Any Trade Save That of Making Hangings.

"Little Korea, now being urged by its leaders to use only articles of Korean manufacture," says Horace B. Cheney, "is advancing nationalism in art and industry today just as Charles I did during his reign. 'The Jacobean period of decoration' has been called the most distinctly national of the English period; for, while largely inspired by Low Country models, it was yet developed originally by English craftsmen. And those who had displaced the foreign workers of Elizabethan times.

"The Jacobean period was ushered in with James I, 'The Wisest Fool in Christendom,' but not until the times of Charles, 'saint and martyr,' were its possibilities of beauty developed.

"Charles was the spirit of its efflorescence. He, like Francis I and Lorenzo the Magnificent, loved beauty for its own sake. Indeed, he was himself a craftsman, saying of himself, 'I believe I could make my living by any trade save that of making hangings.' The friend of Rubens, the patron of the brilliant Van Dyck, a connoisseur who was also a king—and yet a king, alas, who knew all the arts except the art of governing."

"In his reign, the turned and twisted woodwork of his father's day came to a softer, more delicately crafted beauty, and the characteristic of his reign was the ornament manifested themselves in geometrically patterned arrangements and a growing use of inlay. The great hall (still the most important feature of the majestic English home), was then indeed a thing of stately splendor—rich with tapestries and hangings, wainscoting, paneling, exquisite with ornamental ceilings, mantelpieces and lofty bay windows."

### PASSING OF THE PEDDLER

Canvassers and Agents Are Now Known as Specialty Salesmen.

There are no more peddlers, canvassers and agents. At least those engaged in the business of selling from house to house would so have us believe. These gentlemen prefer to be called specialty salesmen, and the custom today is to call any individual a specialty salesman who does not sell for resale in other words, who sells directly to the consumer.

The specialty salesman of today who sells from house to house is not the canvasser or peddler of yesterday. In fact, there is a wide difference in the methods employed, the characteristics of the individual and in the method of selection of the individual. In some remote and more or less isolated cases, however, the old style of selling is still used to some degree. As a general rule, however, the specialty salesman is better educated, better fed, better clothed and a far more clever salesman than the agent of a decade ago.

Not that some of the old-style agents and canvassers were slouches at selling! Far from it. As a matter of fact, many of the old-timers were very smooth articles, and their very smoothness and adroitness made them individuals worth watching.—Nation's Business.

### Stamp of Approval.

There's a certain man who is well known as a tyrant in his office, but a very docile husband at home. The contrast is so decided that a friend asked if he were a sort of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde.

"No," said the man, "and I'll let you in on the secret. The gas company is really to blame."

"We had been getting the same-sized gas bill month after month; just the same number of cubic feet consumed, and I began to figure that there must be something wrong with the meter and wrote the gas company about it. They inspected the meter and then wrote me to say: 'There is nothing wrong with the meter. It merely goes to show that you have a well-ordered and regularly conducted household routine.'"

"And I, like a chump, showed the letter to my wife, and she hasn't let me have a thing to say about running the house ever since."

### Too High Up to See Him.

A man about town, meeting a friend who had recently become a judge, extended his congratulations and then said: "And I will now tell you good-bye."

"Why," asked his honor, "are you going away?"

"No."

"Neither am I. So why this good-bye?"

"It is this way," explained the party of the first part. "I have known many men who became judges, governors or what not. After their elevation very few of them were able to see me again."

### Shakespeare Had Vision.

"What a man Shakespeare was," said the man on the train. "What has aroused your admiration now?" inquired his seat mate.

"You know he speaks of a woeful ballad to a lady's eyebrows," answered the other.

"Well?"

"Have you noticed the eyebrows lately?"

"Any ballad to one of them would naturally be woeful."

### Some Record.

Married in 1883, a mother before her seventeenth birthday, a grandmother fifteen years later, at the age of thirty-one is the record of a woman living in Carmarthenshire, Wales.

### Depth of Mediterranean.

The greatest depth of the Mediterranean sea is about 14,426 feet.

### Good Man for Infantry.

YORKSHIRE, Eng.—A Swainston, a postman here, has walked 174,480 miles. That's seven times the distance around the world. Yet it was covered entirely on his route at Cat-

### THE OLD HOME TOWN

BY STANLEY



### OUT OUR WAY

BY WILLIAMS



terick Bridge. He has just completed 34 years in the postal service. But it proved good luck for him. The magistrates dismissed the case. Several score septuagenarians, octogenarians and nonagenarians already are enrolled. Weekly meetings are held for discussion of the "good old days."

He Scared 'Em Out. BUDAPEST—A fellow has to be entered the dock with a black cat at least 70 to get into Budapest's newest and most "exclusive" club.

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PHONE 32

**WORK WANTED**  
BATTERIES—Man with some experience wants work in battery shop. Chas. Binder, Soo Hotel. 12-12-1w

**AUTOMOBILE—MOTORCYCLES**  
FOR SALE—Dodge sedan, P. O. Box 601, Bismarck, N. D. 12-8-1w  
FOR SALE—1921 Ford Coupe, Phone 405. 12-12-3t

**ROOMS FOR RENT**  
FOR RENT—Two warm rooms in modern home, within two blocks of postoffice. Each room suitable for two. Board if desired, 316 3rd. Phone 589-R. 12-14-3t  
FOR RENT—One nicely furnished room in modern house, for one or two. Phone 346J or call at 408-16th Street. 12-10-1w

**FOR RENT—Two strictly modern front rooms for light housekeeping; large downstairs rooms, 924 4th St. Phone 543-W. 12-3-4t**  
**FOR RENT—Furnished room, modern home, close in, 201 First St., corner Broadway. 12-12-1w**  
**FOR RENT—Nice warm room, one block from postoffice, 211 Thayer. Phone 964. 12-14-1w**

**FOR SALE OR RENT HOUSES AND FLATS**  
FOR SALE—5 room modern house, including 2 bed rooms, for \$3300. on liberal terms; 6 room modern house, in good condition, well located as to schools, immediate possession, on good terms; 6 room house, close in, for \$3000., on liberal terms; 5 room partly modern house, close in, for \$2500. 5 acres of cultivated land near the outskirts of Bismarck. Geo. M. Register. 12-13-1w

**FOR RENT—Six room bungalow with bath. Also upper floor of a house, unfurnished, three rooms and bath. Also two garages for rent. None of these places are over three blocks from the Postoffice. Phone 905-212 1-2. 12-8-1w**

**FOR RENT—Fine bungalow, convenient location to high school and capitol. Good furnace. Electric stove connection. Built in kitchen cabinet. Garage. Phone 678-M. 12-12-3**

**FOR RENT—Immediate possession new, strictly modern five-room lower duplex; heated attached garage, finest location. Apply 9 W. Roberts. Phone 751 and 151. 12-3-4t**

**FOR RENT—Apartment. One entire floor, fully equipped for light housekeeping. Electric range for cooking. Phone 734-W. Geo. W. Little. 12-7-4t**

**FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished apartment. Bismarck Business College. Phone 183. 12-1-2w**

**FOR RENT—Six room modern house, on car line and near Capitol. Call 747-W or 1010 4th St. 12-11-4t**

### HELP WANTED—MALE

**MEN WANTED—to learn—Autos, Electrical, Gas Engineering.** The demand is far greater than we can supply. \$5.00 to \$10.00 per day offered everywhere for well trained mechanics. Don't remain idle this winter, get in the big money class. A few weeks' training with tools at the Bismarck Practical Trade Schools, the Million dollar trade School System, will fit you for any of these big pay jobs. Get away from hard work and low pay. Hemphill Trade Schools are located at: 107 Nicollet Ave., Minneapolis; 580 Main Street, Winnipeg, Canada and ten other cities. We pay railway fare. Write nearest Branch for free catalogue and special offer.

### HELP WANTED—FEMALE

**WANTED—Housekeeper for family of three, state wages expected, middle aged woman preferred.** Call or write Mrs. C. F. Nelson, Coleharbor, N. D. 12-14-1w  
**EXPERIENCED GIRL** wants housework short time, or steady, at any salary. Call 376R or call at 330-11th Street. 12-13-1t  
**WANTED AT ONCE—Experienced** waitresses and kitchen help. Phone 209. 12-13-3t

### MISCELLANEOUS

**FOR SALE—Buff Orpingtons, Black Langshans, and Silver Laced Wyandottes cockerels and Silver Laced Wyandotte pullets.** First prize winners at Mandan fair. Christ Free, 217 12th street North. 12-12-1w

**SEND A COPY OF Crawford's** Badlands and Broncho Trails to your friends. They'll not stop with one reading. \$1.50 a copy. Capital Book Co., 20 Ave. A., Bismarck, N. Dak. 12-10-2w

**FOR SALE—Set of 54 books with** railway traffic maps of Interstate Commerce and a railway traffic course complete, for \$10, at 323 13th street North. 12-11-1w

**FOR SALE—Western Electric 10 A** Loud Speaker, complete with tubes; lists \$161. For quick sale, \$100. Call or write F. L. Carlton, Helicon, N. D. 12-14-4t

**FOR RENT—New store, with two** unfurnished rooms upstairs on Broadway, across from auditorium. See Frank Krall, the Tailor. 12-3-4t

**FOR SALE—Leather Duofold,** practically new, good springs and mattress. Also two hole laundry stove with pipe. 946M. 12-13-3t

**FOR SALE—\$185 Columbia** Gramophone, with records. Price \$100. Phone 309-M, or write Box 6, Bismarck. 12-13-3t

**WANTED TO RENT—Improved farm** with buildings. Cash rent preferred. Write Box No. 161, Wing, N. D. 12-13-1w

**FOR SALE—Mahogany library table,** bed complete, rockers, ice box. Phone 384-J. 12-13-4t

**FOR SALE—Baby buggy and child's** bed. Phone 603R. 808 Rosser St. 12-5-4t

**FOR SALE—Household furniture,** 508 3rd street. 12-11-1w

### NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that certain mortgage, executed and delivered by Martin Anderson and Edna Anderson, his wife, mortgagors to the Union Investment Company of Minneapolis, Minnesota, a corporation, mortgage, dated the 20th day of December, 1918, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Burleigh, and State of North Dakota on the 4th day of January, 1919, at 11 o'clock, A. M. and recorded in Book 157 of Mortgages, at page 415, and assigned by said mortgage by an instrument in writing to the State Bank of Cold Spring, Cold Spring, Minnesota, a corporation, dated the 25th day of January, 1919, and filed for record in said office of the Register of Deeds on the 25th day of October, 1923, at 9:50 o'clock, P. M., and recorded in Book 175 of Assignments at page 116, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises in such

mortgage and hereinafter described, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Bismarck, County of Burleigh and State of North Dakota on the 12th day of January, 1924, at the hour of two o'clock, P. M., to satisfy the amount due upon such mortgage on the day of sale. The premises described in such mortgage and which will be sold to satisfy the same are described as follows, to-wit: The East half of the North-west quarter (E2NW1/4) and Lots One (1) and Two (2) of Section Eighteen (18), Township One hundred forty-two (142), North of Range Seventy-five (75) West. There will be due on such mortgage on the date of sale the sum of Seven hundred seventy-one and 56-100 dollars together with the costs of foreclosure. Dated at Bismarck, North Dakota this 5th day of December, 1923.

State Bank of Cold Spring, Assignee of Mortgage.

By G. Olgeirson, Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage.

Bismarck, N. Dak. (12-7-14-21-28-1-11)

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

**IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ROY O. PENNELL, Deceased.** Notice is hereby given by the undersigned William L. Pennell, the Administrator of the Estate of Roy O. Pennell late of the City of Bismarck, in the County of Burleigh and State of North Dakota deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to said Administrator at his residence at six hundred (600) 73th street in Bismarck, in Burleigh County, North Dakota.



# MILLIONS FACE STARVATION IN GERMANY

Columbus, Dec. 14.—"Millions in Germany will be confronted with starvation this winter unless aid is given by the United States," declared the Rev. Dr. Samuel McGraw, one of the two general secretaries of the Federal Council of Churches, at this morning's session of the annual meeting of the executive committee of that body. "Reports not only from German sources but from American observers and churchmen indicate suffering beyond anything yet imagined in this country," he said.

At the same time announcement was made that the Federal Council of Churches in co-operation with the American Friends Service Committee and the various denominational agencies, will carry on a campaign in the churches to raise money for relief purposes in central Europe.

# HORSES FACE EXTINCTION SAYS FURLONG

Berkeley, Cal., Dec. 13.—Statistics recently circulated state that horses, in large measure, freed, because of motor power, from the labor that made them beasts of burden, were increasing rather than diminishing in number. But now comes Professor S. L. Furlong, curator of the vertebrate collection at the University of California, with the prediction that the horse will be virtually extinct on the American continent in another century.

Professor Furlong is so confident of his supposition that he has started for posterity a collection of all modern specimens of the equine family. His collection will rest in the museum of paleontology, along with the bones of the three-toed horse and other prehistoric kin.

Recalling the dominating position of motor conveyances in the cities, Professor Furlong adds: "Daily the tractor and the automobile are taking the place of the horse in rural life. As the usefulness of the horse passes, so will the necessity for his existence. Before many years the use of a horse for the purposes with which he has been identified since time immemorial will be a curiosity. In another hundred years you may have horses in zoos. I am sure you will not find them anywhere else."

# PROBE DEATH OF FARMER

Devils Lake Authorities Fear Foul Play

Devils Lake, Dec. 14.—Township authorities are investigating the death of W. L. Leas, 53, Rock Lake farmer, who died in hospital here from a bullet wound in the back of his head caused presumably by a .22 calibre rifle.

At first the authorities thought that Leas had committed suicide, but the location of the bullet indicates that this would have been impossible, and are now making two theories, that he was murdered or shot by accident. The authorities have been unable to get much information regarding the shooting, as no one can be found who saw it.

Leas was brought to the Devils Lake hospital in an unconscious condition, and died about four hours after arriving, and the body was taken to Grand Forks for post mortem examination, and coroner's inquest will be held.

The dead man is survived by a widow and four children, the youngest being six years old. He was brought to Devils Lake by an adult son, and had first been treated by an Engeland physician, who ordered him rushed to the hospital. Leas never regained consciousness to tell how he received the shot.

**Vienna Publishers Seek Relief**  
Vienna, Dec. 14.—Publishers of Vienna newspapers have appealed to the government for relief from the paper trust. They declare they are paying 50 percent more than before the war for newspaper, which with the cost of labor places them in a precarious position.

**FOR RENT**—Large warm room, suitable for two gentlemen. 112 Thayer, Phone 558R. 12-14-11

**WANTED**—School girl to work for room and board. Phone 3073, 901 6th St. 12-14-13

**FOR RENT**—Large room, close in. Phone 187, 800 E. Main St. 12-14-13

**FOR RENT**—Seven room house, January 1, Phone 697. 12-14-13

**HOUSE FOR RENT**—At 518 7th St. 5 rooms and bath. Furnace heat. Call at 516-7th St. for information. 12-14-13

**FOR RENT**—One nicely furnished room in modern home. Close in at 422-4th St. 12-14-13

**FOR RENT**—Unfurnished room at 320 4th St. Phone 187. 12-14-13

**DR. M. E. BOLTON**  
Osteopathic Physician  
117 1/2 4th St. Telephone 246  
Bismarck, N. D.

# ONLY A TWISTED MASS OF STEEL



Crushed as though it were a tiny toy, this tangled debris remained as mute evidence of the New York Central wreck at Forsyth, N. Y. It is all that is left of the demolished observation car of the second section of the world renowned Twentieth Century Limited through which the locomotive of the third section plowed before its veteran pilot could bring his speeding charge to a complete stop. Ten of this car's occupants were killed, fifty others, asleep in their berths in it and the next Pullman forward, were more or less seriously injured.

## CITATION AND NOTICE TO APPEAR

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA  
County of Burleigh.  
In County Court, before Hon. J. C. Davies, Judge.

In the Matter of the Estate of William J. Greenhalgh, Deceased, of the County of Burleigh and State of North Dakota.

Trustees of Oakland Cemetery of Cresco, Iowa; Trust-ees of the Protestant Cemetery of Kendallville, Iowa; Iowa Children's Home Society of Des Moines, Iowa; Methodist Deaconess Home of Des Moines, Iowa; Methodist Episcopal Church of Des Moines, Iowa; City of Osage, Iowa; Agnes, Charleston, Piche, Sur-bur, Lohel, White, and Susan, Greenhalgh; First Methodist Episcopal Church of Des Moines, Iowa; and Mrs. Bessie Warlinton, Respondents.

THE STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA To the above named respondents and all persons interested in the Estate of William J. Greenhalgh, Deceased:

You and each of you are hereby notified that the Petitioners herein have filed in this Court a copy of the Last Will and Testament of William J. Greenhalgh, late of the County of Osage in the State of Iowa, deceased, and the probate thereof in the State of Iowa duly authenticated with their petition, praying for the admission to probate of said document as the Last Will of said deceased, and for the issuance to them of letters testamentary thereon, and that the said petition and the proof of said probate will be heard and duly considered by this Court on Tuesday, the 2nd day of January, A. D. 1924, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the Court Rooms of this Court, in the County Court House, in the City of Bismarck, North Dakota, and State of North Dakota.

You and each of you are hereby cited to be and appear before this Court at said time and place and answer said petition and show cause, if any there be, why prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Filed this 13th day of December, A. D. 1923.

By the Court,  
J. C. DAVIES,  
Judge of the County Court.  
NEWTON, DILLAM & YOUNG,  
Attorneys for Petitioners.  
(12-14-21-28)

**NOTICE OF HEARING PETITION FOR LICENSE TO SELL REAL ESTATE**

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA  
County of Burleigh.  
In County Court before Hon. J. C. Davies, Judge.

In the Matter of the Estate of John B. Stackhouse, Deceased, of the County of Burleigh and State of North Dakota.

F. J. Grady, Administrator, Petitioner.

Claude vs. Stackhouse, Gerald G. Collier, Elvira Steel and all other persons interested in the Estate of said John B. Stackhouse, Respondents.

To the State of North Dakota to the Above Named Respondents, and All Persons Interested in the Estate of said John B. Stackhouse, Deceased:

You are hereby notified that the petition of said F. J. Grady, Administrator of the estate of said John B. Stackhouse late of the County of Burleigh and State of North Dakota, deceased, has been filed in this Court, praying that said petition be authorized, empowered and directed to sell all the interest in the real estate belonging to said decedent's estate, described as follows, to-wit:

Interest in lots 6, 7, 8, and 9 in Block 55 of the Original Plat of the city of Bismarck in Burleigh County, State of North Dakota, arising out of a land contract for the purchase and sale of said lots executed between the said F. J. Grady as vendor to said John B. Stackhouse as vendee on which contract the vendee has paid the sum of \$400, of the purchase price of \$800. The title to said lots remain in the vendor as the said contract has not been performed by the vendee.

That said petition will be heard by this Court on Tuesday the 2nd day of January, A. D. 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the Court Rooms of this Court, in the County Court House, in the City of Bismarck, North Dakota, and State of North Dakota.

And you, and each of you are hereby cited and required then and there to be and appear before this Court and show cause, if any you have, why this petition should not be granted.

By the Court,  
J. C. DAVIES,  
Judge of the County Court.  
F. H. REGISTER,  
Attorney for Petitioner,  
Bismarck, North Dakota.  
(SEAL)  
(12-14-21-28-1-1)

**FIRST CAR OF CORN SHIPPED**  
Johnston, N. D., Dec. 14.—E. C. Krueger, a wealthy land owner of this community, shipped a carload of corn to Minneapolis Monday. This corn of the Rustler's White Dent and Wills Early Dent varieties was raised

## REBELS TAKE ANOTHER CITY

General Revolts Against Oregon Government

El Paso, Tex., Dec. 14.—(By the Associated Press)—Reports of severe fighting between outposts of the advancing rebel army and federal forces entrenched in the path of the March to Mexico City were received in El Paso by the De La Huerta junta as well as meager advices by official government sources in Juarez.

General de Gallegos, operating for De La Huerta in the state of Guanajuato, has revolted against the government and captured the town of Celaya, where Oregon's summer home is situated, the advices further stated.

## PUBLIC SAFETY BILL PASSED

Dublin, Dec. 3.—(By the A. P.)—The public safety bill extending the power of the ministry to arrest and detain without trial persons deemed guilty of certain specified offenses was passed by the Dail Eireann today. The vote was 53 to 10.

## MOTHER OF PEARL ADEPTS

Czechoslovakians Brought the Industry With Them to the United States.

"If it is mother-of-pearl" it is Czechoslovak. That saying is generally accurate. If the article referred to is a pearl button, pearl knife handle, pearl inlay or any other commodity made from the glossy lining of fresh or salt-water shell.

For in the United States the fabrication of nonprecious pearl is almost entirely in the hands of immigrants and the children of immigrants from Czechoslovakia. From the thin stream of immigrants bearing footloathes, which a tariff law provoked prior to the Spanish war, there has grown up an American industry in pearl buttons, brooches, rings, pins, jewel caskets, carved chessmen and various other shell novelties which did not exist before and which radiates from Czechoslovakian factories and home "plants" located in half a dozen or more states on the Atlantic coast.

The human element, and a strict need to rely upon the intuition of trained fingers, has not been entirely eliminated by the use of modern machinery in the pearl industry. Among the Long Island "plants," indeed, there are some which are "manned" entirely by women, if one excepts the guiding influence of the male head of the household.—Detroit News.

A new material, bravolette, is used by a German inventor in the manufacture of safety razors. It looks like ivory, tortoise shell or marble, depending on the manner in which it is manufactured.

**KONDON'S for Cold in Head.**  
Cough, Dry Nose, Cough, Sneezing, Itching, Stuffy Head, KONDON'S Cough Syrup, KONDON'S Cold Cream, KONDON'S Cold Ointment, KONDON'S Cold Tablets, KONDON'S Cold Drops, KONDON'S Cold Powder, KONDON'S Cold Lotion, KONDON'S Cold Spray, KONDON'S Cold Cream, KONDON'S Cold Ointment, KONDON'S Cold Tablets, KONDON'S Cold Drops, KONDON'S Cold Powder, KONDON'S Cold Lotion, KONDON'S Cold Spray.

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Buy 5 pounds of CRANBERRIES and make 10 glasses of delicious jelly!  
CRANBERRY JELLY  
Cook until soft the desired quantity of cranberries with 1 1/2 cups of water for each quart of berries. Strain the juice through a jelly bag. Add one cup of sugar to each quart of juice and boil until the sugar is dissolved. Boil for five minutes. Add one cup of water to each quart of juice and boil for five minutes. Pour into glass tumblers, paraffin or cellophane.

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# News of Our Neighbors

**BALDWIN**  
Miss Elsie Meyers has returned from a visit with relatives at Turtle Lake and vicinity.

After a pleasant visit with Baldwin relatives, Mrs. Mary Pinks has returned to her home at Bismarck.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hilken and family and W. C. Gehring and children were Thanksgiving guests at the Herman Meyers home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albin Spanberg entertained a number of friends and relatives to a dinner last Monday evening the occasion being their wedding anniversary.

Miss Wilma Graham, daughter of J. A. Graham who attends high school in Winton has two parts in a play which will be given soon by the Sophomore class of the Winton school.

On account of delayed work and an enforced vacation because of sickness among the scholars no program will be given by the Baldwin school this Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. George Swick were shopping in the capital city Wednesday.

Fred Middlestead returned home last week from Bismarck where he has been taking treatment at one of the hospitals.

Emil Hogue of the Arnold district was seen in our midst one day last week. Emil in partnership with the owner of the farm is going into the cattle business and recently purchased several thoroughbred cows of a milking strain.

Peter Wallis is slowly recuperating from the auto accident in which he was badly injured.

Mike Ryan and Duncan McGillis shipped a number of hogs from the stockyards Friday which they raised on their ranch south of town.

Walter Spanberg of Winton was a caller here one day last week.

The Christmas seals arrived last week and the Baldwin school sold several dollars worth of them.

Baldwin residents comment very favorably on the several articles that have been appearing in the Tribune giving the history and success of many Burleigh county farmers. We hope the reporter will visit our locality soon for we think we can produce as many successful farmers as any district.

George Glace made a trip to his old home south of Mandan early in the week returning home Friday afternoon.

Baldwin has a new business—Henry Hubin has opened a cream buying station in the brick building just ahead of Fred Rupp's hardware store. He will also buy eggs and poultry.

Hans Christiansen has returned from a business trip to St. Paul and Minneapolis.

C. H. Berger is spending the week in Bismarck looking after business affairs.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Rupp and little daughters Emma and Agnes were shopping in Winton Thursday afternoon.

Charlie and Milton Rue are in Bismarck this week.

John Nordstrom was a caller in the capital city Wednesday. While in Bismarck he visited with his mother Mrs. John Nordstrom Sr.

Jake Spitzer has just completed a new chicken house on his farm south of town.

Merl White and family who have been living on the May Little farm just south of town have moved into the house formerly occupied by the McCullough family.

The Diederichs were kept out of school the past two weeks on account of sickness in their home.

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From the leaf-sheaths of the "traveler's tree" of Madagascar a pure and cool supply of water is obtained.

# CARSON PLAYS HERE TONIGHT

Carson High School will open the basketball season in Bismarck tonight, playing the local high school team, game which opens at 8 o'clock.

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## MODEL TOWN IN MICHIGAN SOLD TO H. FORD

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HAS MODEL COTTAGES

This Is Third Saw Mill Purchased by Ford in Invasion of Upper Peninsula

L'Anse, Mich., Dec. 14.—Pequaming, nine miles to the north of L'Anse, is Henry Ford's town. The highest rent there is \$1 a month, electric light and water are furnished at cost, the doctor's bill is never more than \$1.50 a month, and fuel families are unknown.

The Detroit automobile manufacturer acquired this section of Pequaming recently from Charles Hebard and Sons, Inc., pioneer lumbermen of the peninsula.

When the town was built in 1877 the owners set about to make it something different from other lumber towns. They wanted a community of comfortable homes and happy, contented workmen. They seemed to think more of the welfare of their employes than they did of the profits of their enterprise.

There are 105 cottages for the workmen, two churches—one Protestant and one Catholic—an amusement hall, a school, a clubhouse, a waterworks and electric lighting plant, a telephone system, a general store where all residents shop, and a public playground and park.

Each workman pays the same rent \$1 a month. He need never worry about coal, for he burns none. Instead he stuffs his big stove with hardwood from the company's forests, paying \$1.75 for a large wagonload—barely the cost of cutting and delivering. A doctor administers to the ill of the community at a charge of \$1.50 a month.

**Town Is Beauty Spot**  
The beauty of Pequaming has won frequent comment from tourists. The streets are well shaded, the houses are of varying types, and there is a garden with every house. Purchase of the town gives Mr. Ford ownership of Pequaming's only industry, the saw-mill property of the Hebard corporation. This includes a large saw mill, lath and shingle mills, and 40,000 acres of land containing 400,000,000 feet of standing timber.

The saw mill is the third purchased by Ford since his invasion of the Upper Peninsula two years ago. The first was at Iron Mountain, now fast becoming an industrial center of the Upper Peninsula, and the second was at L'Anse.

The Pequaming purchase makes the Detroit manufacturer the largest single taxpayer in Baraga. He will pay about three-fourths of the taxes of the entire county.

Mr. Ford has not announced what policy he will follow at Pequaming, or whether he will continue the Hebard program that has made Pequaming a model town.

## SUBMARINE IS AGROUND

Washington, Dec. 14.—Submarine S-26 is aground near execution rock, 25 miles east of Hellgate, New York, but not in a dangerous position, according to a dispatch to the navy department today from the commander of the third naval district. The submarine has asked assistance which has been sent from Brooklyn Navy Yard, the message said.

Information received at the navy yard from the S-26 indicated that she had suffered little if any damage and that none of the 40 men aboard her had been hurt.

## DAUGHTER OF J. J. HILL DIES

New York, Dec. 14.—Mrs. George T. Slade, daughter of the late James J. Hill, railroad magnate, died at her home early today.

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## IRENE'S LATEST



Major Frederick McLaughlin, wealthy Chicago society man, coffee merchant and sportsman, has become vivacious Irene Castle's third husband. The wedding was solemnized in Chicago. The major, as his title implies, has been a soldier, too, just like Vernon Castle and Robert Tremaine, the dancer's former spouses.

## TWO GAMES OFFERED FANS

As a preliminary to the Bismarck-Carson basketball game tonight will be a game between the juniors of the Bismarck high school and St. Mary's school team this evening at the high school gymnasium at 7:15 o'clock.

The big game of the evening will begin promptly at 8 o'clock. Predictions are that this will be a live one since the Carson team has already appeared in several scrimmages, with other high schools and are in good shape to give the locals a hard tussle.

## JURY GIVES HELLSTROM \$100

A jury in district court returned a verdict of \$100 in favor of F. O. Hellstrom, who sued the city of Bismarck for \$300, alleging that the city commissioners had retained him in 1921 as an attorney in the case before the railroad commission involving the rates and practices of the Hughes Electric company.

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## MASTER FILM IS SHOWN AT AUDITORIUM

"The Covered Wagon," Called Greatest Photoplay of Year. Wins Audience

ORCHESTRA WITH IT

"The Covered Wagon," the great picturization of the winning of the west, was shown at the auditorium last night for the first time, and will be shown again tonight and tomorrow night. A 15-piece orchestra, of special ability, plays a beautiful overture before the picture opens, and plays a special score during the entire show. If there were any which saw "The Covered Wagon" last night and did not like it, they surely felt they had been amply repaid in going by hearing such a fine orchestra.

The story of "The Covered Wagon," takes a train of immigrants of 1848 and 1849 from the Missouri river where Kansas City now stands to Oregon and California. Great long lines of prairie schooners traverse the country, all in search of a new Eldorado.

The tragedy of the great exodus in those stirring years of American history is depicted vividly, but without long blood-curdling scenes. The whole picture is so developed as not to offend by constant bloody battles, but there is stirring action introduced—the battle with the Indians, a prairie fire, fording the Platte river, and other scenes of great power.

J. Warren Kerrigan, as the leading male character, and Miss Lois Wilson, as the leading woman, were carefully selected from the great school of actors of the Lasky studios.



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for the leads. They have great support in the players as Charles Ogle, Fritz Ridgway, Louise Dresser and Ernest Torrence.

This motion picture masterpiece was taken from Emerson Hough's great novel of the "wagon days" and the characters and scenes are faithfully transferred from the book to the screen. No important detail is left out—you will find all the gripping interest of the book in the photoplay and you will see the pictorial beauty of landscape with the eyes of the hardy argonauts as they trudged across the ox teams on the

2,000 mile journey from Westport to Oregon. "You will share with them their grief, joys, pains, homesickness and the pleasures around the camp-fire at night, and you will thrill and cheer at their heroic defense of their women and children from the attacks of the Indians. You will sit entranced when you see 500 "covered wagons" fording a swollen river with hundreds of oxen and horses swimming vigorously for the distant shore. All these scenes enthrall the spectator, for it unfolds that part of our National life with which few of

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this generation are familiar except through the printed page. "The Covered Wagon" was produced on a tremendous scale and thousands of people, horses, oxen, mules and buffalo were concerned in its making. Aside from its magnitude as shown upon the screen there is a symphony orchestra of 20, and a musical score which charms the ear, adding to, and

enhancing the pictorial beauty of the offering.

**SCREEN ACTOR SERIOUSLY ILL**

Pittsburg, Dec. 14.—Theodore Roberts, screen and stage star, is critically ill in the William Penn hotel and has been forbidden by his physician to continue his engagements here. Mrs. Roberts and a trained nurse are in constant attendance at the bedside and all visitors are removed admittance. Judge W. A. Lang refused to give his diagnosis of the case.

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